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SOVIET VIRTUALLY WITHDRAWING FROM LONDON AGREEMENT

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FACILITIES TO PURCHASE ARMS MUST BE RESTORED TO SPAIN

ACCORD SYSTEMATICALLY VIOLATED BY NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING NATIONS

Moscow, To-day.

The Soviet is virtually withdrawing from the non-intervention agreement.

London: The virtual withdrawal of the Soviet from the non-intervention agreement is announced in a letter handed to Lord Plymouth, the Chairman of the committee, by M. Maisky, expressing the opinion that the agreement has turned out to be an empty, torn scrap of paper and suggesting that the only way out of the situation will be to restore to the Spanish Government the right and facilities to purchase arms outside Spain, and to extend to the participants in the agreement the right to sell or not to sell arms to Spain.

The letter says that the Soviet cannot consider itself bound by the agreement to any greater extent than the remaining participants. In adhering to the agreement the Soviet expected that the agreement would be fulfilled by the participants and as a result of this, that the period of the civil war in Spain would be shortened and the number of victims reduced.

But the time that has elapsed has shown that the agreement is being systematically violated by a number of participants, the supply of arms to the rebels continues unpunished, while the legitimate Government of Spain has turned out to be in fact under a boycott and deprived of the facilities to purchase arms outside Spain for the defence of the Spanish people.

As a result of the violation of the agreement a privileged situation for the rebels has been created, and there has been a prolongation of the civil war in Spain and an increase in the number of its victims. The efforts of the Soviet to stop the practice of violating the agreement has not found support in the committee, while the Soviet proposal with regard to the control of ports in Portugal has not even been placed on the agenda.

Joint Declaration Expected

GERMANY AND ITALY TO COMBINE?

The Soviet delegate to the non-intervention committee, interviewed by Reuter, stated that Russia would participate in the

NEW DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF ROYAL DUTCH CO.

Amsterdam, To-day. It is understood that Sir Henri Detering has resigned the Director-Generalship of the Royal Dutch Co., to become a member of the board of directors, from which Mr. De Kock has been selected as the new Director-General.

meeting of the sub-committee at 10.30 a.m. to-day.

At the conclusion of the meeting of the non-intervention committee M. Maisky, interviewed by Reuter, stated that Russia had not left the committee. Rome: The Soviet Note is regarded by Italy as yet another proof of the "destructive influence of Russia in European affairs." It is considered that Russia has given assistance to Spain, despite the non-intervention agreement, and that the Note is merely a red herring.

Meanwhile it is generally thought that a Soviet Government cannot be allowed to exist in Spain, and it is expected that a joint declaration will be made by Germany and Italy, as a result of the Berlin conversations, stating that the two Governments will not tolerate the existence of a Soviet State in any part of Spain.

London: After sitting for over three hours, the non-intervention committee adjourned for a short

COMMUNIQUE ISSUED

Sincere Appeal To Committee

LORD PLYMOUTH EXPLAINS PROCEDURE

London, To-day. The communique issued by the non-intervention committee states that at the outset of the meeting Lord Plymouth reminded the committee that the chief concern of the British Government in consenting to the establishment of the London Committee had been to prevent the civil war from spreading beyond the Spanish frontier, and to secure a measure of co-operation between the Powers in what threatened to become a dangerous international situation.

Lord Plymouth appealed to the committee to fulfil the difficult task of examining all the information submitted to it in an impartial spirit. Lord Plymouth then read the Soviet Letter.

The Portuguese representative very emphatically repudiated the Soviet allegations against Portugal and said that they were baseless, as would be seen when the Portuguese reply was received.

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RA.F. FLYING-BOATS

Safe Arrival At Basrah Reported

Basrah, To-day. The Royal Air Force flying-boats, en route to the Singapore Base, have arrived here from Alexandria. They are on their way to supplement the R.A.F. establishment in Malaya.—Reuter.

AIR PROGRAMME IN BRITAIN

Criticisms By Lord Nuffield

SIR THOMAS INSKIP ISSUES STATEMENT

London, To-day.

The Minister for the Co-ordination of Defence, Sir Thomas Inskip, in a speech at Hayling Island yesterday, referred to the long statement issued by Lord Nuffield on Thursday, explaining the reasons for the withdrawal of the Wolseley Co. from the Government's "shadow" aero-engines manufacture scheme, in which Lord Nuffield expressed severe criticism of the Government's attitude, declaring that, at the close of an interview he had with Lord Swinton, Air Minister, he remarked: "Well, God help you in case of war."

Sir Thomas said he regretted the unfortunate difference of opinion between Lord Swinton and Lord Nuffield, and emphasised that Lord Swinton had left nothing undone in the way of enterprise research or the utilising of the resources of aircraft manufacturers. It had undoubtedly been hoped that part of the aircraft programme would have been carried out by Lord Nuffield's organisations.

It was difficult for him to see the end of the services which the Morris organisation was in a position to render to the nation. He ventured to prophesy that it might even in the end prove advantageous to the Government to have the capacity represented by Lord Nuffield's aero engine works available for the execution of another part of the Government programme in the near future.—Reuter.

RETURN TRIP OF "CLIPPER"

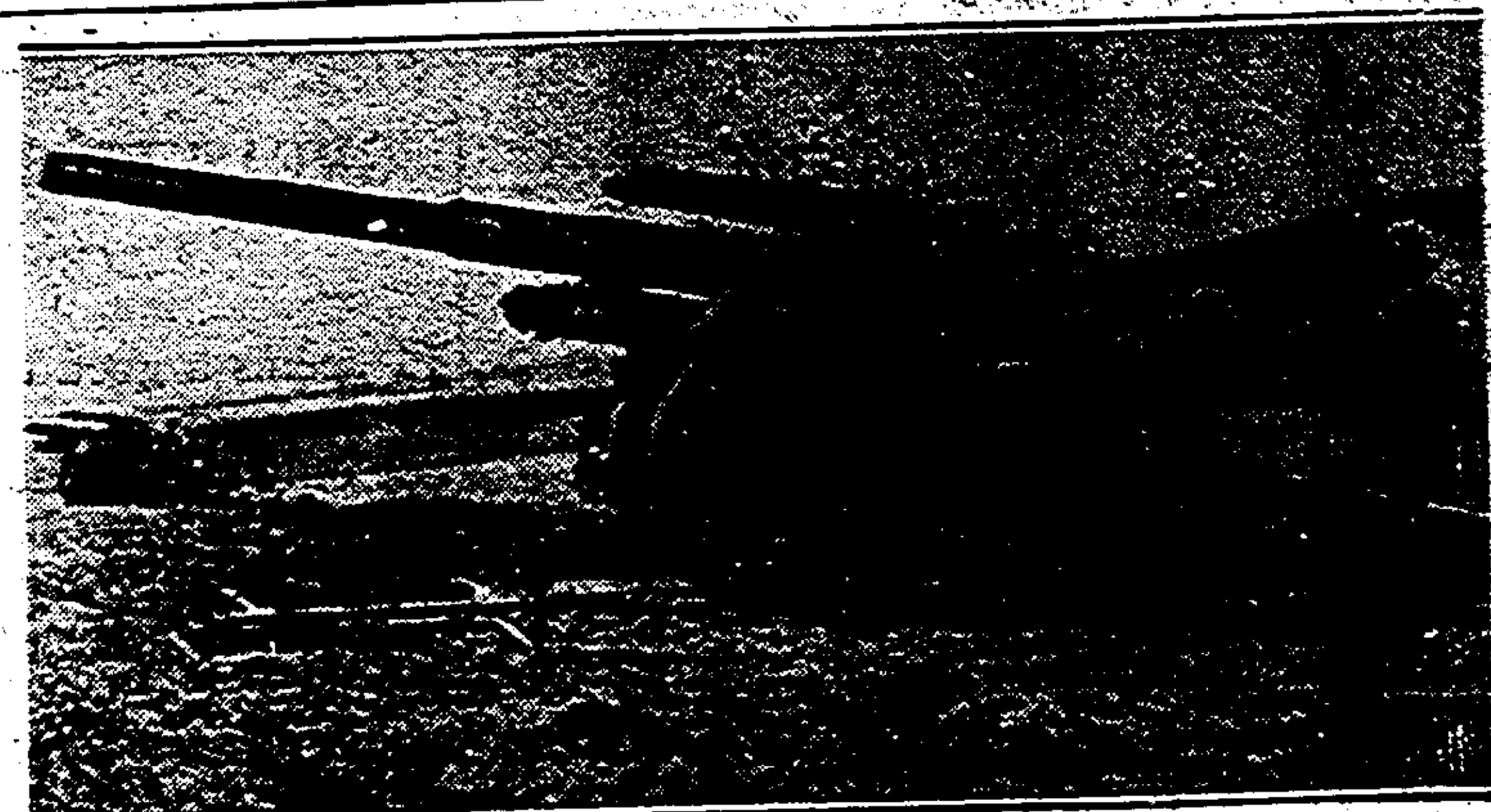
Departure At Dawn To-day

The Pan American Airways' Philippine Clipper left Hong Kong at 6.30 a.m. to-day on her return trip to Manila, carrying on board as passengers Senator and Mrs. William G. McAdoo, Mr. Robert A. Lord, Mr. James J. Stahlman, Mr. Amos G. Carter and Mr. E. W. Swasey.

Two China National Airways Corporation seaplanes arrived from Canton this morning at Kai Tak shortly before 7 a.m. and carried away from the Colony as passengers for Shanghai Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tripp, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Whitney, Mr. H. Bixby, Mr. Roy Howard, Mr. Paul Patterson and Mr. C. M. P. Murphy.

AIR SERVICE TO BE EXTENDED

Athens, To-day.—The Greek and German Governments have reached an agreement to extend the present Berlin-Athens air service to Egypt and Palestine.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.



The utmost secrecy surrounds the characteristics of Germany's new long-range field gun, which is rumoured to be the superior of the famous French 75's. This picture was taken at last month's manoeuvres of the Reich army, which were the centre of the attention and interest of all the European Powers.



President Franklin D. Roosevelt, Democratic candidate for the U.S. Presidency.

AN ABLE SEAMAN SENTENCED

Insubordination On H.M.S. Guardian COURT-MARTIAL'S FINDING

London, To-day.

The Admiralty states that the Commander-in-Chief of the Atlantic Fleet has reported that, as a result of investigations into the case of insubordination on H.M.S. Guardian on October 15, one Able Seaman has been Court-Martialled. Eleven others were involved, less seriously. Some younger ratings have been dealt with by a caution.—Reuter.

An earlier message said that a slight case of insubordination had been reported on H.M.S. Guardian, an Atlantic fleet net-laying vessel. The occurrence took place while the ship was operating in the Firth of Forth on October 1.

The Admiralty stated that the incident lasted only for a few minutes, and consisted of reluctance and a short delay in the falling-in of the men. The normal routine of the ship was not affected.

An authoritative announcement later stated that there would be no Court Martial. The incident was trivial and was considered as being completely closed.

TYPHOON WARNING

The American Consulate-General in Hong Kong received a typhoon warning from the Manila Observatory at 8.10 a.m. this morning. The report states that the centre of the disturbance is situated in Longitude 124 East, Latitude 19 North, moving north-west, or in the direction of Hong Kong. It is about 1,200 miles from the Colony at the moment.

U.S. PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN

MR. ROOSEVELT BACKED TO WIN EASILY

INFLUENCE OF MINOR PARTIES LIKELY TO BE SMALL

London, To-day.

President Roosevelt is likely to win by a comfortable margin, according to the collated opinion of Reuter correspondents throughout the United States. President Roosevelt appears to be leading in 32 States, with 314 electoral college votes, and Governor Alfred Landon in 16 States, with 217 Electoral College votes. The New England States, New York and Pennsylvania, which are traditionally Republican, are the backbone of Mr. Landon's strength, and the Southern and Western States are for President Roosevelt. Business men and financiers are overwhelmingly for Mr. Landon, but organised labour, unemployed persons and industrial workers are believed to be for President Roosevelt.

The issues centre on President Roosevelt's personality and the record of the New Deal. Mr. Landon's appeal is mainly negative. The influence of the minor parties is likely to be very small, though the Radical, Mr. Lemke, may split the vote at Minnesota.

The campaign is now being brought to a climax. Mr. Roosevelt is touring the East and Mr. Landon the West. The special trains and the flood of broadcast oratory is costing thousands daily. It is expected that 220,000 will be expended in broadcasting fees alone on the day before the election, November 3.

MR. LANDON RE-ENTERS Oklahoma City: Governor Landon has re-entered the fray, addressing an audience here after a day's relaxation while en route to the East from California. He was slightly hoarse, but spoke with no apparent difficulty.—Reuter.

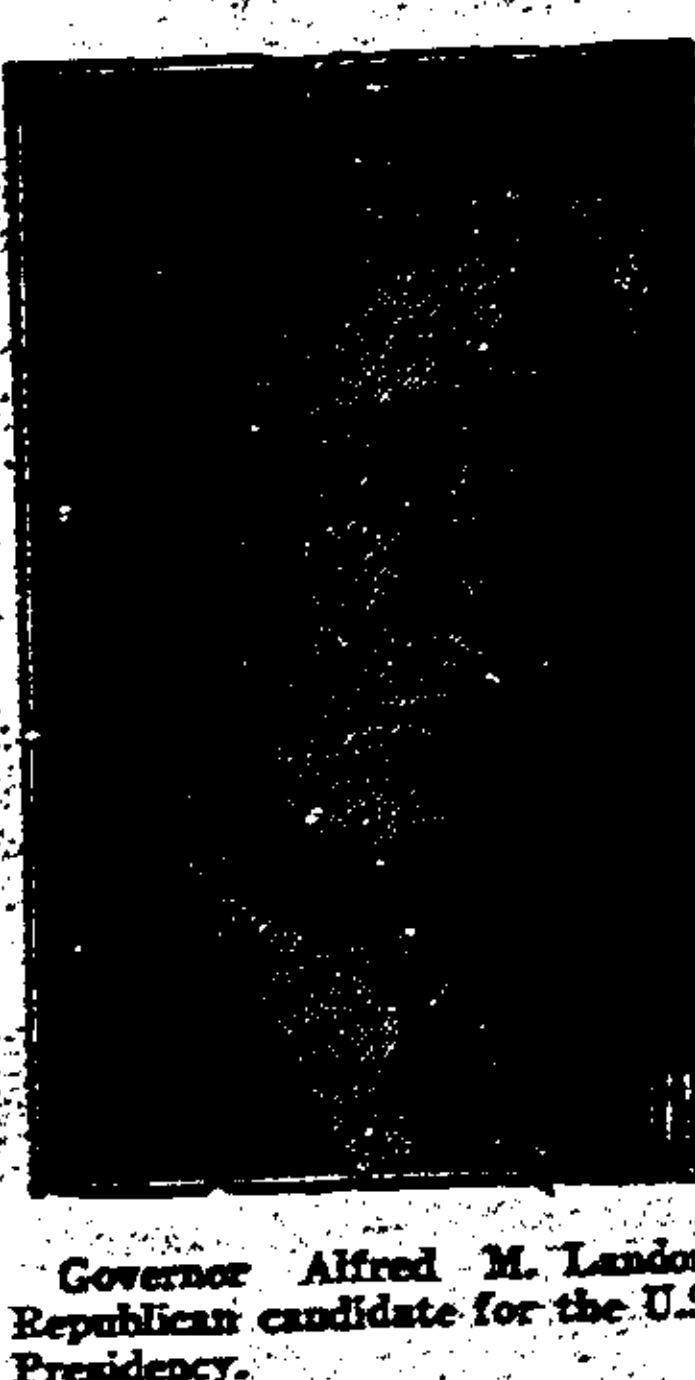
RAIL COLLISION IN HUNAN

40 Persons Reported Injured

Canton, To-day.

A collision occurred between the up and down trains of the Canton-Hankow Railway near Taiping in Hunan Province at 10 a.m. yesterday. It is reported that about 40 passengers were injured. — From A Special Correspondent.

H.M.S. Kent, former flagship to the Commander-in-Chief, Rear-Admiral Sir Charles Little, K.B.E., arrived in Hong Kong this morning from Woosung, while the Commander-in-Chief's yacht, H.M.S. Palmetto, is expected to arrive in port this afternoon.



Governor Alfred M. Landon, Republican candidate for the U.S. Presidency.

DOMINIONS AT CORONATION

Playing New Historic Role

London, To-day.

Invitations to the Prime Ministers of Australia, Canada, New Zealand and South Africa to attend the Coronation are being despatched by the Earl Marshal, in accordance with the Statute of Westminster, which gave the Dominion Parliaments the right of direct access to the Sovereign. The Dominion Premiers who will attend at Westminster Abbey will therefore be taking part in the Coronation as their new historic role as the representatives of the people of entirely self-governing Dominions.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

COPPER MARKET STRONG

Possible Increase In Production

London, To-day.

The sustained strength of copper, which yesterday advanced a further 5s. to 42 5/16, is giving rise in metal circles to talk of yet another increase in production in the near future.

While fully recognising the fact that the two recent increases have not yet been fully assimilated by the market, well-informed quarters point out that the consuming demand is at present running at a pace which more than absorbs the present production. Furthermore the expanding sales in America this week induce the belief that the domestic price will be raised to 10 cents shortly, despite the opposition of the largest low-cost producers.—Reuter.

A Gazette notification states that the Hon. Mr. Thomas Henry King, Inspector-General of Police, and Chief Officer, Fire Brigade, resumed duty as from October 22.



Sporting Page



GREAT BRITAIN'S BEST ATHLETES OF THE YEAR REVIEWED

Greig Back To Soccer



WILLIAM McAlpine Greig, the Police Recreation Club First Division soccer full-back and lawn bowls player, was born in Port of Glasgow in 1914 and is a cousin of Drysdale, the Glasgow Rangers player.

He was educated at Glasgow High School and played in the Juvenile, Junior and Senior Divisions of the School at left-back. On leaving school he continued to play soccer in the City League and represented Carnegie Athletic, the Gosrock High School Former Pupils and also played for the Port of Glasgow juniors. His experiences with these teams has given him a keener insight to the game than most followers of soccer in the Colony.

At the age of 18 he temporarily gave up soccer owing to a knee injury and joined the Hong Kong Police Force in 1934, and he again took up the game with his junior team the following year. This year he has played for the seniors, deputising at left-back in the absence of Chris Pile.

He only took up lawn bowls towards the end of last season, but made such gigantic strides in the sport that he secured a place in the First Division team as No. 1 to W. E. Hollands, one of the leading players in the senior division—no mean achievement!

Partnering W. Mair, the Police skip, he reached the semi-final round of the Colony Open Pairs championship in his first attempt in competitive sport!

EAST LANCS. AND CLUB IN GOALLESS DRAW

Scrappy Hockey At King's Park

WALLACE AND BATES SHINE

A goalless draw was the result of the friendly hockey match between the Hong Kong Hockey Club and the East Lancashire Regiment junior teams at King's Park yesterday afternoon.

From start to finish the game was scrappy, none of the players displaying good form. Bond, the Club's left-winger, received no support from his colleagues and as a result only touched the ball a few times. Wallace, at right-back, played a safe game and cleared the ball with confidence, while Bates, the right-half, also played a second defensive game.

Sharples, the inside-left, was the pick of the East Lancs. attack, but he was unsupported. East Lancs.—Scrimm: Capt. Thatcher and P. Woodhouse; E. A. Bates, L. S. Thomas and N. Whitley; I. Tansworth, T. B. Smith, L. E. Way, H. E. W. Taylor and V. C. Bond.

MAMAK HOCKEY FIXTURES

The Radio Sports Club will meet the Royal Army Ordnance Corps in the "B" Division of the Mamak Hockey Tournament at Caroline Hill to-day at 2 p.m. while to-morrow the Kowloon Indian Team will meet the Royal Corps of Signals in the "A" Division of the tournament at 2 p.m. in the same division.

STRONG NAVY TEAM ON VIEW TO-DAY

TWO GOOD SOCCER TIES FOR TO-DAY

MOSS INJURED AND IN HOSPITAL

(By "Referee")

THERE are two interesting matches in the First Division of the Football League down for decision this afternoon, the clash between the much strengthened Navy team and the Fusiliers being the outstanding tie, while Recreio will entertain the Police in what should also produce a stern struggle.

The Police will be without the services of Moss, who is at present in hospital with an injured foot, and Brooks will be seen in his stead on the left-wing, while Willerton, from the junior eleven, will lead the attack.

The main match of the day should see a much strengthened Naval side secure their first pair of points. Hills and Wolverson, who recently returned to Hong Kong from Wei-Hai-Wei, will probably be seen in action as the two full-backs, while Wride will be retained as the pivot, supported on the right and left flanks by Smith and Bower, two excellent players, making a formidable intermediate line against which the Welsh forwards will have a difficult time.

Baxter, one of the Navy's best right-wingers, will also be making an appearance, supported by McCloud, one of the finest shots in the First Division, while Cannell, the Navy leader, will also be on view. It is likely, however, that several newcomers will be brought into the team in order to give the majority of players a rest before their Lai Wah Cup encounter to-morrow against the Civilians.

Remaining Games

In the remaining senior games the East Lancs. are expected to beat Eastern, while the Rifles, playing away from home, should perform similarly against St. Joseph's, neither of whom are making any team changes.

Kowloon are favoured to beat the Athletic on their own ground, but much will depend upon Knox in the leader's berth. I also hear that Paddy Boyd is contemplating retiring from the game!

"ROVER'S" FORECAST

The following are the local Football League fixtures for the week-end:

To-day	
EAST LANCS. v Eastern (Chatham Road, 4.30 p.m.)	RIFLES v St. Joseph's (St. Joseph's, 4.30 p.m.)
RECREIO v Police (King's Park, 4.30 p.m.)	KOWLOON v Athletic (Kowloon, 4.30 p.m.)
Navy v Fusiliers (Causeway Bay, 4.30 p.m.)	EAST LANCS. v Eastern (Chatham Road, 3.00 p.m.)
Lyman v Rifles (Military, 4.30 p.m.)	Club v K. CHINESE (Club, 3.00 p.m.)
ENGINEERS v South China (Caroline Hill, 3.00 p.m.)	Stoncutters v C. POLICE (King's Park, 2.00 p.m.)
KOWLOON v Athletic (Kowloon, 3.00 p.m.)	NAVY v Fusiliers (Causeway Bay, 3.00 p.m.)
St. Joseph's v LKA (St. Joseph's, 3.00 p.m.)	ENGINEERS v Medicals (Military, 3.00 p.m.)
Ordnance v FUSILIERS (Happy Valley, 4.30 p.m.)	

To-morrow

Lai Wah Cup Competition	ARMY v Chinese (Causeway Bay, 4.00 p.m.)
Navy v CIVILIANS (Kowloon, 4.00 p.m.)	EAST LANCS. v Eastern (Chatham Road, 4.00 p.m.)
RECREIO v European Police (King's Park, 4.00 p.m.)	ATHLETIC v Chinese Police (Chatham Road, 2.30 p.m.)

NAVY JUNIORS' FINE RECORD IN DANGER

MEET FUSILIERS TO-DAY

STONECUTTERS SHOULD RECORD THEIR FIRST WIN

The Second Division soccer game between the Fusiliers and the Royal Navy on the Causeway Bay ground to-day should be one of the best encounters this season in this division, as both are playing football of a high standard and have so far given an indication that they will finish up near the top.

The Navy team will probably be without the services of Wride and Smith, who will be needed for the senior team, but, with the talent now at the disposal of the selectors, these positions should not be hard to fill.

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CLUB RESERVES ON VIEW

Strong Team To Meet E. Lancs.

That the committee of the Hong Kong Football Club are not neglecting their youngsters is evident by the arrangement of friendly games for them, and during the past month quite a number of these have been played.

Taking advantage of the ground which will not be used for League football owing to the postponement of their senior team's fixture with the Kowloon Chinese, the Club Reserves (a mixed team) have arranged to play the East Lancs. reserve team at 3 p.m. this afternoon.

The Club team will be E. Strange; Buftmann and Hill; Mathieu, Forrow and Bickford; Himsworth, Leppard, Bell, Stevens and Finlayson.

N.A.E. MACKAY'S XI TO MEET POLICE XI TO-MORROW

The following will represent N. A. E. Mackay's eleven in a cricket match against the Police Recreation Club, Happy Valley, at 2 p.m. sharp to-morrow:



Avery Brundage, chairman of the United States Olympic committee which dismissed several athletes, including Eleanor Holm, Jerrett, the famous swimmer, is here being interviewed aboard the Vulcania as he returned to America from Europe.

BIG LADIES' HOCKEY MATCH TO-DAY

"Y" AND HONG KONG LADIES MEET

(By "STICKS")

AN exciting ladies' hockey match should be witnessed this afternoon when the "Y" Ladies meet Hong Kong Ladies on the former's ground at King's Park, commencing at 2.45 p.m. sharp. Several newcomers will be making their first appearance for the two teams this afternoon and the "Y" Ladies' team has undergone almost a complete change.

Miss J. Weller has been dropped from the team and Miss W. George will be seen between the sticks, while Mrs. Burke will be seen at right-back instead of Miss P. McCaw, who is under doctor's orders. Miss A. Fowler will revert to her original position at left-back and these two should make a formidable pair, probably the strongest combination in the Colony at the moment.

The "Y" intermediate line will include two newcomers in Miss K. Tonge, who has been promoted from the junior team and who has made rapid strides since last season, and Mrs. Starbuck, at left-half, who is one of the "finds" of the season. The latter knows the game from A to Z and should prove a menace to the visitors' right-wing partnership of Miss Marsh and Miss M. Smalley.

Right-Wing Newcomer Miss O. Dalziel will be an absentee from the right-wing to-day as she is still under doctor's orders, and her vacancy will be filled by Miss J. Lakeman, a promising junior player formerly of the Central British Schoolgirls' team. Miss S. Dalziel will be at inside-right, while Mrs. M. Read will again lead the attack.

Miss M. Smith, one of the two girls responsible for Hong Kong's Interport victory over Shanghai last February, and formerly of the Central British Association Ladies, will be seen at inside-left in support of Miss M. Westcott.

Experimental Side

The Hong Kong Ladies will be fielding an experimental eleven with Mrs. Lunson between the sticks and Miss Gray, as usual, at right-back. Miss R. Smalley will be at left-back in the unavoidable absence of her sister Miss J. Smalley, who was injured recently, while Mrs. Harrop will make her first appearance at right-half. Miss Glover will be seen as pivot and Miss Ferguson, their left-winger, will be at left-half.

I do not think these three will blend successfully as Mrs. Harrop is essentially a forward and will be wasted in the intermediate line.

Mrs. Weir and Mrs. Prophet are the two newcomers to the attack and will make up the left-wing combine, while Miss Jean Dalziel will lead the attack, supported on the right flank by Miss Marsh and Miss M. Smalley.

The Hong Kong Ladies have distributed their strength in an effort at balance, but I can see several loopholes which I think the "Y" attack will take full advantage of. As the other ladies' teams in the Colony have been considerably weakened, the result of this match, although only a friendly one, will act as a pointer towards the winners of the Cass Clark Cup competition.

Rapier's Selections For To-day

RACE NO. 1—KING'S WARDEN COSSACK'S BEAUTY HEROD	Outsider — Gladiator
RACE NO. 2—VIXEN TOR ELECTRON AUSTRALIAN BOY	Outsider — Holiday Eve
RACE NO. 3—AMBERLEY HIGH HONOUR VALEROUS	Outsider — New Star
RACE NO. 4—SHAMEOCK LAUGHING BUDDHA ESTOVER	Outsider — Emergency Call
RACE NO. 5—BEAR CLAW KING'S JUSTICE CYCLAMEN BAY	Outsider — Sadko
RACE NO. 6—CENTRE COURT RACING HEART SNOWY RIVER	Outsider — Perfect Day
RACE NO. 7—HARVEST VIEW RIBBLE	KING'S BOUNTY
Outsider — King's Jubilee	
RACE NO. 8—GOLD COIN FLYBYNIGHT SYLVANDELE	Outsider — Double Chance
DAILY DOUBLE—BEAR CLAW AND HARVEST VIEW	

The following are the teams: Y.M.C.A. Ladies: Miss W. George; Mrs. Burke and Miss A. Fowler (Captain); Miss K. Tonge; Miss E. Thomson and Mrs. Starbuck; Miss J. Lakeman; Miss S. Dalziel; Mrs. M. Westcott. H.K. Ladies: Mrs. J. Lunson; Miss E. Gray and Miss R. Smalley; Mrs. P. M. Harrop; Miss K. Glover; Miss C. Ferguson; Miss P. Marsh; Miss M. Smalley; Miss J. Dalziel; Mrs. Weir and Mrs. E. Prophet.

FINE MATERIAL YET TO BE MOULDED

GODFREY RAMPLING'S PASSING

GREAT FUTURE FOR D. B. PELL

(By J. E. Lovelock)

London, September 30.

IT seems a good time to give a brief review of the past track season in England, stressing not only those who have justified their places among the very best that the country has produced, but also making some mention of those runners in such events as the Public Schools and Junior A.A.A. Championships who show promise of one day stepping into the places of our present champions.

In the sprints our three outstanding men were our Olympic representatives, A. W. Sweeney, C. B. Holmes and A. Pennington. Their consistency throughout was admirable, but on their Olympic form they are scarcely yet up to the highest international standing. It may seem invidious to attempt to separate them, but one cannot help feeling that Sweeney is the strongest, most consistent, and consequently the most formidable.

Holmes, with more training along the right lines, could be at least his equal; while Pennington, in spite of his apparent frailty and greater length of leg, leading to slower starting, has the greatest potentialities, particularly over the furlong distance. Some day he will be a very great quarter-miler!

How to account for our sprinters' lack of success in the big events is not easy, but I cannot help feeling that the foundations of their training were not laid sufficiently firmly, and that they do not realise the tremendous amount of preliminary work necessary for continued performance throughout a long season of high-class competitions.

Youngest Athletes

The younger athletes who caught the eye included the Malvern schoolboy, B. Greatbatch, winner of the Public Schools' hundred, K. Richardson, and T. Scotcher, first and third respectively in the Junior A.A.A. Championships, and yet another Pennington, brother of our Olympic representative.

Some of these should provide us with worthy champions in future years. Coming to the quarter, the long and fierce argument on the relative merits of A. G. K. Brown, G. L. Rampling, and W. Roberts would at last seem settled in favour of Brown. His performances over distances from 100 to 380 were incredible, and we have in him a magnificent example of a man who knows his own mind, forms his own plans, and adheres steadily to them.

The Quarter-Milers

He reaped his reward, one that with sufficient encouragement from the right quarters might well have been a first instead of a second in the Olympics. Roberts demonstrated his great strength, consistency, and fighting spirit throughout, but in Rampling I still feel we had the most beautiful of them all.

Old favourites die hard, and could Rampling have recaptured something of the old careless rapture of his earlier spontaneous efforts we should have seen him produce in straight races a little of what he is now able to give us only in his most inspiring relay turns. His retirement will be a big loss to English sport.

Runner Of Promise

Of the younger ones, none impressed as favourably as did R. J. Scott last season, but in R. J. Chandler, Junior A.A.A. Champion and record holder, we have a runner of promise.

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TO-MORROW'S LEAGUE FOOTBALL

The only League football games for to-morrow are in the Third Division, where two of the home teams should win comfortably, though the game between Recreio and the European Police will be worth watching.

ARMY AND CLUB IN GOOD RUGBY GAME TO-DAY

Triangular Tourney Pointer

SIDES ARE WELL-MATCHED

(By "REFEREE")

A very interesting Rugby match should be witnessed on the Seokunpo ground this afternoon at 4.30 p.m. when the Club first fifteen meet the Army, holders of the Triangular Tournament Trophy, in a friendly fixture.

The Club will be fielding the same backs and halves as last Saturday, when they beat the Royal Navy at the Valley, although there are several changes among the pack, E. P. Humphreys, S. H. Garrod and A. D. Copping being absentees, while the newcomers will be I. H. Bradford, a former Interport player, J. Redman and N. E. Clarke.

The Army are fielding a very powerful side and should just about beat the Club team, judging on the display they gave in their trial last Wednesday evening at Prince Edward Road.

Doubtful Starter

Callinan, one of the Army second-row forwards, is a doubtful starter as he has not been feeling too well recently, otherwise, with the exception of four players, the team is the same which won the Triangular Tournament last season.

The Army will miss Davies, one of the fastest centre-threequarters in the Colony, who is shortly to undergo an operation for a torn ligament in the shoulder.

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GUTIERREZ SHIELD FINAL TO-DAY

England Should Beat Portugal

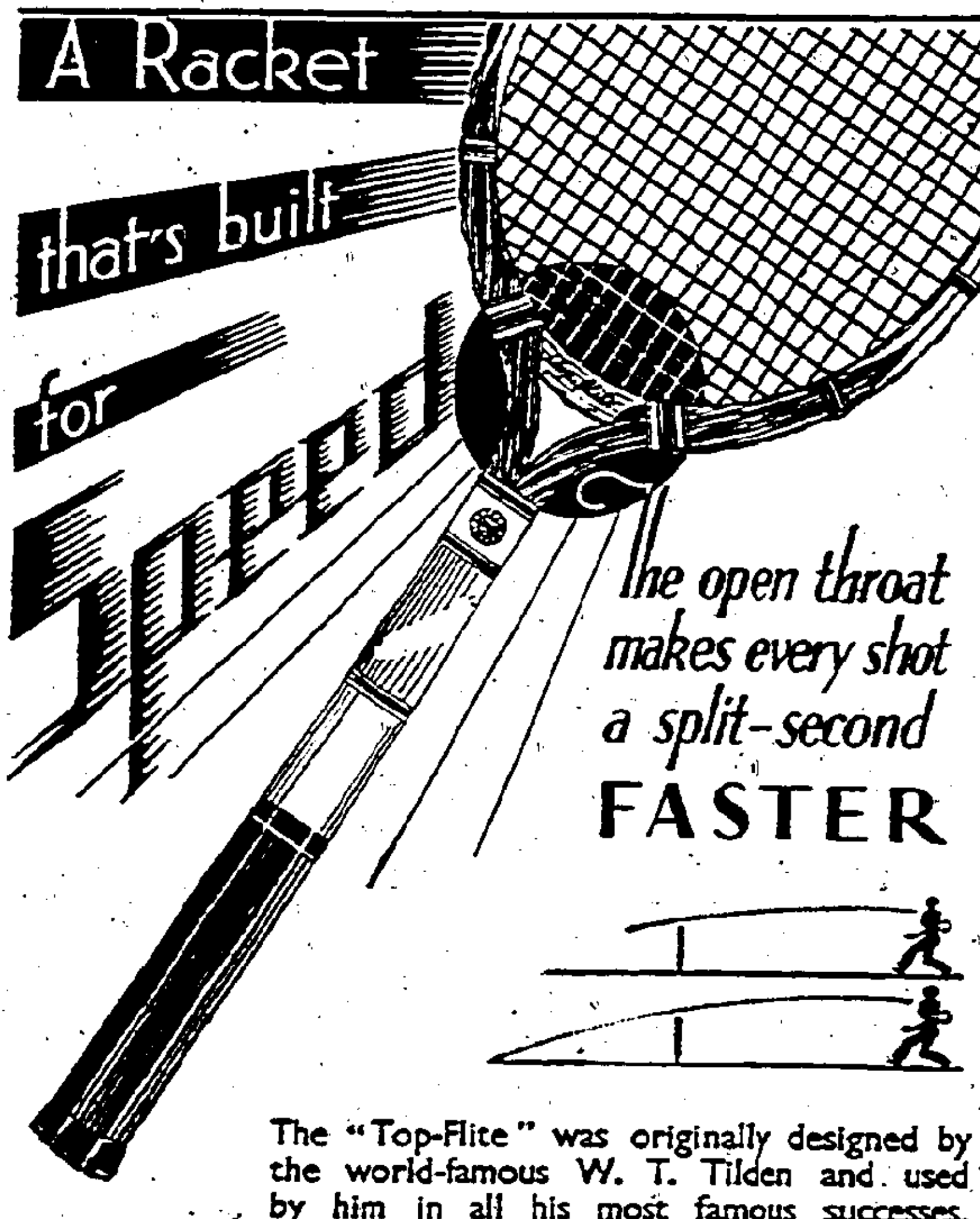
The final of the Gutierrez International Lawn Bowls Competition between England and Portugal will be played to-day on the Hong Kong Football Club green, when it is anticipated that England will win the title.

Portugal—F. V. Y. Ribeiro, C. G. Silva, B. A. Alves, and R. P. Luz (skip).

England—C. S. Sumner, W. E. Hollands, A. W. Ormiston, and S. Randle (skip).

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DR. W. E. O'HARA PERFORMS
HOLE IN ONE

Shanghai, October 19.
A. Ricketts of the Hungjao Golf Club, won the Amateur Open Golf Championship of China with the fine score of 302 for the 72 holes, or seven strokes better than J. W. Harrison's winning score last year.

K. M. Cumming, of the same club, was second with 316, and three players tied for third place with a score of 317, Messrs. B. Kan, J. A. Williamson and D. R. Glass.

Playing steady golf at Seeking-jao yesterday Ricketts had 157 for the two rounds, easily maintaining the lead he had obtained on the Hungjao course on Saturday. The scores this year are generally better than last year.

Hole in One

Ricketts was third in 1934, and runner-up to J. W. Harrison last year, when he was beaten by two strokes. During the course of the afternoon round, Dr. Wm. E. O'Hara who had card number 13, did the 12th hole in one, taking a number six iron from the tee for the 157 yard hole.

Conditions yesterday were considerably different from those on Saturday, the longer course, which was in splendid condition, especially the greens and the high wind blowing mitigated against any records being broken.

Prize Winners

At the conclusion Madame Wu Te-Chen, wife of the Mayor of the Municipality of Great Shanghai, presented the prizes won during the competition, and at the request of Mr. R. Bailey, presented Dr. Wm. E. O'Hara, President of the Shanghai Golf Club, with a box of balls for doing a hole in one.

The following were the prize winners:—

A. Ricketts Championship trophy and Cup, best 36 and 18 holes in qualifying round at Seeking-jao, and best 36 and 18 holes at Hungjao.

J. S. Dickson best 36 holes at Seeking-jao.

J. C. Dickson, J. A. Williamson and R. H. M. Broomhall best 18 holes at Seeking-jao.

TENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING

Programme For Nov. 7

The following is the programme for the Tenth Extra Race Meeting to be held at Happy Valley on Saturday, November 7, 1936, at 2 p.m.:

1.—2.00 P.M.—Surrey Handicap.—Winner \$550. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, "A" Class. Winners of \$5,000 or more in stakes since 1st January 1936, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

2.—2.30 P.M.—Nallah Nallah Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$250. Third \$150. For Australian Ponies, "A" Class. Winners of \$2,500 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1936, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

3.—3.00 P.M.—Hong Kong Griffin Cup.—Winner \$600. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, Griffin's of this season that have started in at least three Extra Race Meetings of this Club, two of such Meetings previous to 1st July, 1936, and one subsequent to that date. Weight for inches per scale. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$10. One and a Quarter Miles.

4.—3.30 P.M.—Norfolk Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Winners of less than \$750 in stakes since 1st January, 1936, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

5.—4.00 P.M.—Kent Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Winners of \$1,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1936, barred. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

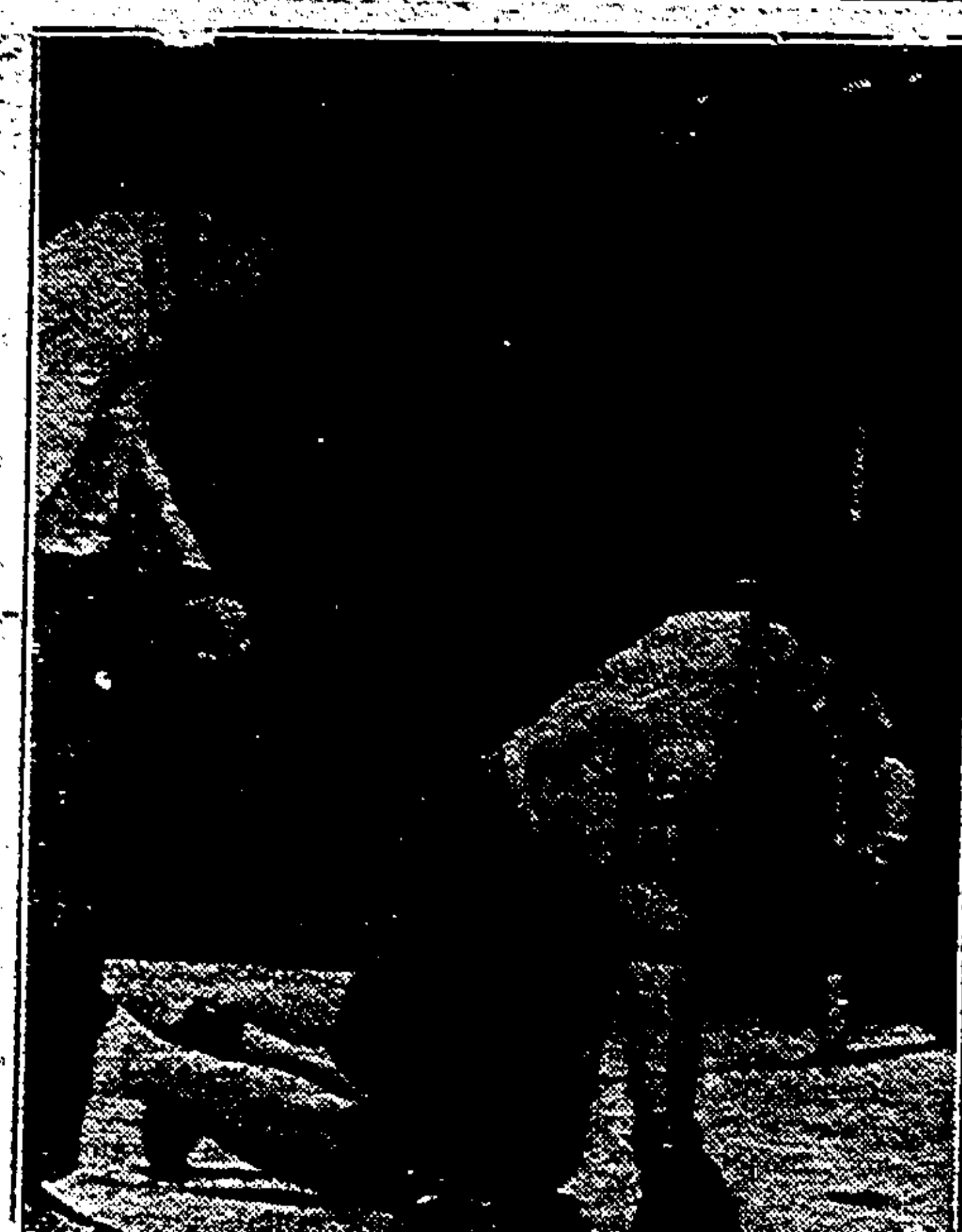
6.—4.30 P.M.—Cantata Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$250. Third \$150. For Australian Ponies, "B" Class. Winners of \$1,500 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1936, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

7.—5.00 P.M.—Surrey Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "E" Class, and Subscription. Griffin's of this Club of this season that have not won more than \$1,000 in stakes. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Seven Furlongs.

8.—5.30 P.M.—Suffolk Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "F" Class. Winners of \$750 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1936, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

9.—6.00 P.M.—Daily Double Event.—Fifth and Seventh Races.

Entrance close at noon on Thursday, October 29, 1936.



A crowd of 60,000 fans saw a game Philadelphia heavyweight Al Ettore stand up for four rounds of blistering fighting with Joe Louis of Detroit before hitting the canvas in the fifth at Philadelphia. Ettore is shown draped limply on the ropes as the referee counted him out.

FINE MATERIAL YET TO BE MOULDED

(Continued from Page 2)

Scott is unfortunately paying the penalty of a mispent athletic youth, in which he has tried to take in more than his growing body could stand, but with a season's rest from competition he should be back to his real form. His best distance may ultimately prove to be the half, but for the next two years I am convinced that he would be wise to remain in the quarter.

In past years the half mile has usually ranked with the one mile as England's speciality, but this time we have had rather a lean year.

Where Powell Failed

J. V. Powell, F. R. Handley and B. F. McCabe were selected as our Olympic representatives, and of each a different tale may be told.

Powell's eventual failure may have been largely due to incorrect timing of his training efforts, for he was at his best in the early part of the season.

Powell is rarely at his best in the biggest competitions, yet in smaller ones, and in relays, he is invincible. "One is tempted to quote the magic words 'match temperament,' or its lack, as the main cause of his inability to deliver the goods upon the given day. McCabe eventually came out on top, as the result of a number of sterling qualities of which great courage, physical strength and mental stability are worthy of mention. His main failing, attempting to get to the tape by sheer strength and will power, instead of by technical co-ordination and controlled relaxation, should be capable of steady correction and next year should be a very bright one if he correctly harnesses his proven powers.

Fast Mile Times

The miling this year has given us in fast times what the half-miling failed to produce.

Pride of place must, of course, go to the splendid 4min. 10.4-sec. of S. C. Wooderson, in the Southern championships on June 20.

It is most regrettable that he was unable to show us his best form later to show in August, and he must have the sympathy of all British athletics followers.

If Wooderson's A.A.A. championship victory was achieved in slower time and a little less spectacularly than in his record run at Chelmsford, it seems but natural that so frail a runner, however courageous, should have some difficulty in maintaining consistency over several months.

Success of Cornes

J. F. Cornes, as one would expect from a man so strong, shrewd and experienced, turned out in the big test to be the best of them all. His time in gaining sixth place in the Olympic 1,500 metres was only a fifth of a second outside Beccall's winning time of 1932.

runner-up that year. It was a most meritorious performance worthy of a great athlete.

Probably W. Moorcroft was the best of the younger milers, but he like so many more, failed through

LEAGUE CRICKET FIXTURE

All-Army Match At
Sookimpoo

K.C.C. MEETING INDIAN
IN FRIENDLY

The main item on the cricket programme for to-day is the Second Division League match between the Army "B" team, who beat their "A" team comfortably last week, and the Army "C" players, who are drawn from the troops stationed in Kowloon.

The "C" team have not yet been seen in action and it would be somewhat difficult to give any indication of their form but from what was seen of the "B" team last week the latter will be a very difficult side to beat.

Capt. Mitchell, Cpl. Shipp, Q.M.S. Moreton and Cpl. Waterbridge, all members of the "B" team, figured prominently in Army cricket last season and they all seem to have struck their form at the very commencement of the season. The match will be played at Sookimpoo and should be a very closely contested one.

Friendly Fixtures

As regards the friendly fixtures, the Indians will be meeting the K.C.C. in both divisions and the games should give an indication of the respective strength of the two Clubs for this season. The Navy will be at home to Club de Recreo, while the Hong Kong Cricket Club second eleven will entertain the University juniors in a friendly.

On Sunday the Press will meet the Navy in a friendly at King's Park, when a good game should result.

attempting too much.

D. B. Pell, though less prominent, is one who has the greatest potentialities of any middle distance man in the country at present.

P. D. Ward's Rise

P. D. Ward's rise from comparative obscurity to three mile star class was the outstanding feature of the longer distance racing. His English native record was achieved by magnificent running, the result of patient and thoughtful training.

In Berlin Ward showed himself to be as yet scarcely in the super class of the world, but with steady persistence and some alterations in a pretty but un-economical style, he will in a year or two be able to keep up with all comers, even from Finland and Scandinavia.

F. Close, A. V. Beeve and J. A. Burns followed Ward closely, but the last named showed that over the six mile and 10,000 metres he is steadily improving.

W. Eaton was another whose early performances ruined his later chances, but in time he too will be a serious challenger of Finnish long distance supremacy.

SCHOOLBOY RUGBY MOVEMENT

WELSH PROBLEMS MUST BE SOLVED

THE SECONDARY SCHOOLS' UNION

(By Rowe Harding)

London, September 30.

LAST season I described the origin of an ex-schoolboy movement in West Wales which promised eventually to fill the gap in the Rugby life of boys who leave school at 14 and generally play no more until they are drafted, as very raw recruits, into some usually unscientific senior side.

It is too early yet to say that the movement has succeeded in its dual purpose of providing recreation for youngsters and players for the senior clubs, but a number of sides have been formed, and already I have seen several young players who give promise of developing first-class form in a year or two.

What is needed to ensure ultimate success is the organisation of the individual clubs into a union on the lines of the Secondary Schools' Union, which has done such splendid work since its formation in 1924.

There is no doubt that Welsh Rugby owes its present healthy condition very largely to this organisation. What has been done for the secondary schoolboy can, and should be done, for the ex-elementary schoolboy. However, before a union of this kind can be formed there must be a sufficient number of constituent clubs. At present there are not nearly enough.

I have no doubt that in every Rugby-playing centre in Wales there are enthusiasts who are anxious to do all they can for ex-schoolboy Rugby, but are perhaps uncertain how to begin. There are difficulties, the problem of obtaining a ground, greater in the large towns than the villages, questions of finance, and matters of organisation.

Perhaps it will assist other clubs and would-be clubs if I explain how an ex-schoolboy team was formed at Swansea. First, a committee was appointed, consisting, of course, of people interested in the movement, including the headmasters of the three Swansea secondary schools and a number of elementary schoolmasters.

The presence of these members of the scholastic profession has been invaluable in maintaining discipline and putting the committee in touch with boys who showed promise at school. Other good players were discovered by holding trials, after advertising for candidates. It was found that an age limit approximating to that in the secondary schools, 18 years on September 1, was the best from all points of view.

Swansea Club's Help

The problem of providing the initial expenses was solved by a small grant from the Swansea club. Since finance has been provided by the means with which all small clubs are familiar. Actual finding a suitable ground has been the greatest difficulty, but the Swansea club has helped considerably by giving the use of St. Helen's whenever possible.

In districts where grounds are scarce ex-schoolboy teams will have to rely on the generosity of the senior clubs, who will find Rugby

that their kindness will be well repaid when the best of the young players mature.

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LAI WAH CUP FOOTBALL

TWO ENCOUNTERS
TO-MORROW

ARMY SHOULD WIN
COMFORTABLY

(By "REFEREE")

Much disappointment has been caused by the inability of the Hong Kong Chinese Amateur Athletic Federation to field a fully representative team against the Army in the opening round of the Lai Wah Cup competition to-morrow, and as a result nearly all the interest in the clash has been lost, and the military side should experience no difficulty in qualifying to meet the winners of the other fixture.

The Kowloon Football Club ground will undoubtedly be the centre of attraction in to-morrow's soccer programme, where the civilians, runners-up to the Chinese last year, meet a powerful Navy side.

Rodger's absence from between the sticks for the civilians means much to the side, as it is experience which will count in this match.

The following are the probable teams:—

Chinese:—Wong Wah-gay (South China "A"); Wong Fing (Athletic) and Mak Sun-hoi (Kowloon Chinese); Lung Wing-chai (South China "A"); Wong Mei-ahn (South China "A"); Chan Hung-woong (Kowloon Chinese); Tam Kwong-sun (Kowloon Chinese); Lai Shun-wing (South China "A"); Chan Tak-lai (South China "B"); Chan Ling-sai (Eastern); and Cheng Moon-wing (Athletic).

Navy:—Longley (Midway); Hills (Bruce); and Wolfrum (Rover) (Captain); Smith (Capetown); Wide (Stoneworters) and Bower (Bruce); Baxter (Bruce); McDonald (Regulus); Cannell (Bruce); Wallace (Capetown); and Johnson (Midway).

Reserves:—Buckland (Daring) and McGill (Parthian).

Army:—Rowlands (Fusiliers); Swain (East Lancs); and Steele (East Lancs); Taylor (Fusiliers); Campbell (Rifles) and Evans (Fusiliers); Erwin (Rifles); Sandford (East Lancs); Ferguson (Rifles); Talbot (Fusiliers) and Ridings (East Lancs).

Reserves:—Selleck (R.E.); Keatings (Fusiliers) and Stevens (Rifles); Moore (Rifles); Grindley (Fusiliers); Knight (R.A.); Smith (East Lancs); Dennis (Fusiliers); Howlett (R.E.); Duffield (R.A.O.C.); Hughes (Fusiliers).

Civilians:—A. Minihuet (Kowloon); C. Blackburn (Police) and A. Y. Gosamo (Recreio); A. S. Biss (Kowloon) (Captain); N. Beltrao (Recreio) (vice-Captain) and E. Strang (Club); P. Fowler (Club); Fleming (Club); P. D. Knox (Kowloon); A. Wilson (Club) and B. I. Rickford (Club).

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The engagement is announced between Peter Cyril, son of Mrs. M. Jackson and the late Mr. J. W. Jackson, of Alwoodly, near Leeds, England, and Violet May, daughter of Mrs. Mitchell and the late Mr. R. C. Mitchell of Hong Kong.

Hong Kong, Saturday, Oct. 24, 1936

Defence, Peace And Progress

All the resource and all the energy of the Government, said Mr. Chamberlain, its spokesman, at the mass meeting of the Conservative Conference last month, are demanded by the circumstances of the time. He was not upon the defensive. Confidence well justified resounded through his speech. The ample fulfilment of anticipations that the confirmation in office of the National Government last year would be followed by a continuance of the industrial recovery was triumphantly demonstrated, but only as the basis of more strenuous and comprehensive effort. It was frankly emphasised that "the largest programme of expenditure on defence which this country has ever undertaken in time of peace" will be a heavy burden. Mr. Chamberlain is convinced of the adequacy of the rearmament which it will give Britain. The possibility of retaliation by the "terrific striking power" of the new Air Force, he predicted, will sober thoughts of aggression and be a most formidable deterrent to war. But he made it plain that the nation is not advised to rely on armaments alone for the preservation of peace. In vigorous language he declared once again the intention of the Government to work for the strengthening of the League of Nations and the application of the principles of the Covenant and collective security more effectually. There can, of course, be no isolated advance by us; we have to make sure how far other nations will go. If we find a willingness to engage in limited regional pacts, and in particular the proposed Western Pact, a way to the appeasement of alarms will be opened.

International unrest is inflamed by economic difficulties. Mr. Chamberlain was content to glance at British co-operation with France and the United States in minimising the disturbance from the devaluation of the franc, with the hope that it would prove a step towards stability in the world monetary system. But he declared that difficulties of finance and currencies must be dealt with before the world can be tranquil, and promised that the British Government would be ready to do its part in reducing the restrictions which impede the flow of international trade. That undertaking does not imply what Free Trade fanatics, Liberal and Socialist, have been demanding, a change of policy on Imperial Preference. Mr. Chamberlain, with all the vigour which might be expected from his father's son, insisted upon the supreme value of that principle to the material cohesion and the unity of thought and action of the nations of the Empire.

In the disturbed conditions of the world the steady progress of British industrial recovery is amazing. Mr. Chamberlain may well be proud of

EXPLANATIONS
OF TO-DAYS
CARTOONClimbed Mt. Shasta
On Horseback

THE only horse ever taken to the top of Mt. Shasta, 14,161 feet, was ridden by Miss Alice Cousins, August 18, 1893, accompanied by William Been and Tom Watson, both men afoot. While human beings can easily become accustomed to such altitudes, domestic animals cannot. This horse died soon after returning to the foot of the mountain.

"Birthday" Johnson

M. A. A. "BIRTHDAY" Johnson, who conducts an insurance business in Los Angeles, never attempts to remember acquaintances by name, but never forgets their birthdays. In the 11 years since 1925, "Birthday" had catalogued in his mind a total of over 20,000 birth dates. Instead of calling a person by his name when meeting him in the street or when calling him by telephone, Mr. Johnson greets him by giving his birth date. It is not unusual to hear him greet a group of men: "Hello February 17th, May 21st, January 28th, November 11th," and so on through the crowd.

Value Of Carnations

ALWOOD Brothers, carnation specialists of Hayward, Heath, Sussex, England, write me: "We often wonder whether the great public realize what a tremendous amount of more-valuable than-gold material is wrung out of the soil in a simple Sussex village each year. The price of gold is about \$35.00 an ounce, but the very best fertilized carnation seed as sent out by us in quantities all over the world is worth \$700 an ounce, or \$11,200 per pound."

SENTENCE ON FUS.
GRONERTUnnecessary To Wait
Till Next Sessions

Sentence on Fusilier William Gronert, of the Royal Welch Fusiliers, who pleaded guilty at the Criminal Sessions last Monday to charges of malicious razor attacks on three Chinese women in Wanchai on September 13, will be passed at 10 a.m. on Monday next and not at the November Sessions, as originally intended. This intimation was conveyed by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, to Mr. Leo D'Almada, jr., counsel for Gronert, at the Sessions yesterday afternoon. His Lordship said: "Since the day Gronert pleaded guilty I have given very careful consideration to the case, and I have come to the conclusion that it is unnecessary for me to defer sentence as long as the November Sessions. I am arranging for him to be brought here at 10 a.m. on Monday."

PILOT'S HAT IN PROPELLER

A pilot named Dimmock was demonstrating an aeroplane at Cardiff Airport recently when his hat flew off and caught in the propeller, which snapped. The machine crashed, but the pilot escaped with slight injuries.

the figures, for whatever other forces have been at work there is no doubt that, in his own phrase, confidence was the mainspring, and to the creation of confidence the administration of the national finances on sound principles was indispensable. From this progress Mr. Chamberlain would not have us draw the inference that Government are satisfied with the condition of the people. In the return of prosperity he found the authority and the means for large schemes to raise the general standard of welfare and physical development. A comparison not flattering to British pride with the physique of German youth was made to illustrate the need for measures to give England a population of greater vigour. These, Mr. Chamberlain, avowed, must be manifold and concerned with many phases of national life to be effective. He foreshadowed a health policy of a scope such as we have never yet known.

Here
There
and
Everywhere.

SHAKESPEARE'S RUN

Non-Stop Shakespeare for six months is to be Stratford-on-Avon's contribution to the Coronation celebrations.

For the first time Shakespeare's plays will be performed for 25 consecutive weeks in the town of his birth. The first performance will be on Easter Monday, March 29, and the last on September 26. Attractions for Shakespeare lovers will include a conference on the study of Shakespeare plays arranged by London University.

Next year's run of Shakespeare plays will not, however, break the Stratford record by a big margin. This year's Festival season came to an end on September 26. It had a 24-week run—only two weeks shorter than the projected Coronation Festival.

SUING THE RAS

Italian judges and lawyers in Addis Ababa, are, it is understood, having a busy time hunting for the defendants who have been cited in the cases now occupying the civil courts. These have just begun to function for the first time since the Italians occupied the town.

Most of the cases which will come up for hearing consist of summonses brought by Greek, Armenian, and Russian dealers against Abyssinian chieftains for non-payment of accounts.

A German doctor has summoned one of the former members of the Imperial Government who is now in exile.

A Hungarian furniture dealer has sued another chieftain of \$5,000 worth of furniture and curtains.

Your Daily Smile!

Music Lover
Young Lady (at piano): "You are very fond of music, aren't you, Mr. Johnson?"
Mr. Johnson: "Yes; but go on—never mind me."

Chiseler
Dealer: "That statue is really worth \$20, but there being a little chip off here, I will sell it to you for \$16."
Customer: "Can't you break off another little chip and let me have it for \$12?"

GREAT SHIPS ACROSS
ATLANTIC
FIFTY YEARS' BUILDING
FOR SPEEDCOMFORT STANDARDS EVOLVED
THE SUPER-LINER

(By T. Walter Williams)

THIS is an era of great ships. Surely there is in all the world no marvel so intriguing as a modern steamship, crystallising in one great achievement, as does the new Queen Mary, the widest knowledge and the deepest wisdom of a nation's marine experts and engineers. Such a ship, as a matter of course, offers all the comforts and luxuries demanded by the travelling public; and it combines the elements of safety, strength of hull, "fine" lines, economical operation and the ability to ride the oceans of the world with ease.

Given all these qualities, one thing more is needed—speed. To compete successfully to-day in the North Atlantic passenger trade, a ship must have a speed that will enable it to make the passage either way between Cherbourg and New York within a five-day maximum. Size does not make so much difference above 30,000 tons gross.

A Great Engine Room
The real feature of the new Cunard White Star super-liner is the great engine room in the depths of her hold, beneath all the luxurious salons and suites, where lie the turbines that drive her 77,500 tons of steel through the water. They develop 165,000 horsepower with ease, with another 25,000 horsepower in reserve.

The engine room of the Queen Mary is spick and span, to the eye and it is quite cool, compared even with those in most other modern ships. The engineers step out of their cabins on the sun deck and go down in elevators to the various platforms and the boiler rooms, where the men who attend to the oil furnaces wear white duck overalls and keep their hands clean with white cotton waste. There are 80 engineers and electricians and 125 men, including oilers.

In the much smaller Mauretania, when she came out new

The Age Of Speed

The speed era on the Atlantic commenced in the early eighties with the advent of the two Guion liners Arizona and Alaska, which were dubbed the "greyhounds" and made the voyage from Queenstown to New York in less than seven days.

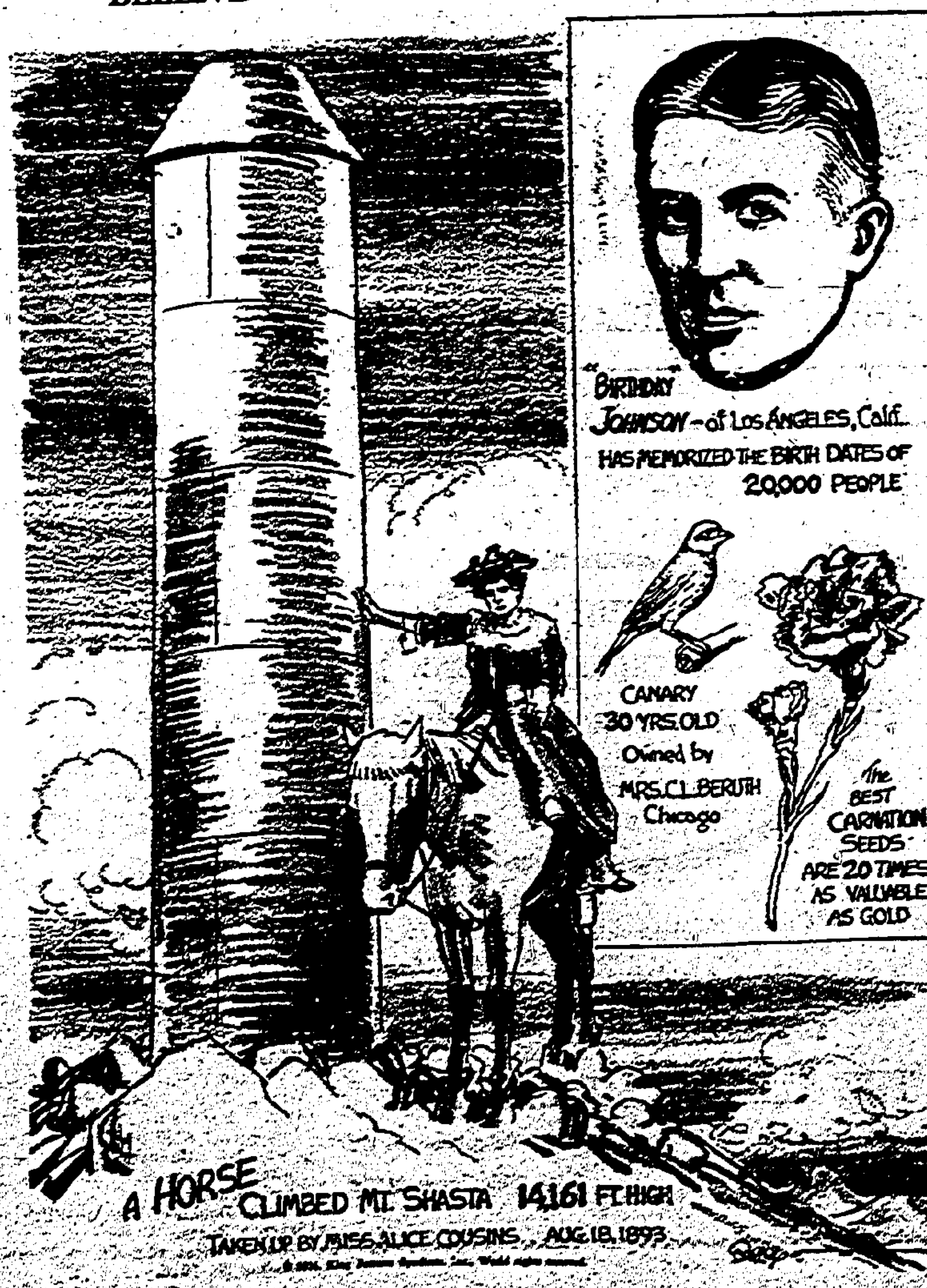
These marvels were followed by the Cunarders Etruria and Umbria, which could be counted upon to dock Saturday morning at the pier below Christopher Street, doing the passage in just over six days. These were all single-screw steamships.

The first twin-screw liners were the City of New York and the City of Paris of the Inman Line, later sold to the American Line. They were picturesque ships, built like great yachts, with three funnels and three masts. They were barque rigged and had clipper bows. They made the run from Queenstown to Sandy Hook in 5 days 15 hours and were the first vessels to steam over 20 knots.

Few of the vessels in the Atlantic trade until then were over 8,000 tons gross. They carried yards on every mast, with sails which were set whenever the wind was favourable, and also forestaysail and jibs forward.

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"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



THE HEEP YUNN SCHOOL

H.E. Lays Foundation Stone

LARGE GATHERING AT TO KWA WAN

The amalgamation of two Church Missionary Society schools, the Fairlea (1886) and the Victoria Home (1887) into the Heep Yunn School, was carried out at To Kwa Wan yesterday afternoon when His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, laid the foundation stone of the new school building with a silver trowel presented to him by Mr. I. N. Chau, the architect.

His Excellency was accompanied by Lady Caldecott and attended by Capt. W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., and on arrival His Excellency was greeted by the Chairman, the Rev. E. W. L. Martin, and Bishop Mok of Canton, and introduced to members of the Council. A small contingent of Chinese girl guides, led by Captain Ethel Banker, formed a guard of honour.

Among the others who attended the ceremony were Sir William Hornell, Vice-Chancellor of the Hong Kong University, Mr. G. R. Sayer, Director of Education, Rev. G. B. Updell, and Mrs. Updell, Rev. J. R. Higgs, Dr. Katie Woo, Dr. T. C. Ip, Rev. Lee Kau-leung, Messrs. David Au, C. Y. Kwan, Richard Lee, H. C. Hung and Ng Wah.

After the laying of the stone, the histories of the Victoria Home and the Fairlea School were given by their respective Headmistresses, Miss Hollis and Mrs. Cheung.

H. E. The Governor

His Excellency said:—The laying of a foundation stone is always a solemn moment to the layman. Unless one is a mason by trade one does not on any other occasion in life consciously set a thing in a place where it must stay put for decades or even, it may be, centuries. So much of our daily round consists of ephemeralities and apparent trivialities that we are apt to forget that a great deal of what we do day by day does nevertheless stay put in the moulding of our own characters and in the reactions of others to our good or bad influence. I want every future inmate of this building to bear in mind that, in their teaching and in their learning, they will (whether they like the idea or not) be for ever laying foundation stones. The future tone and value of this school will depend not on any physical stone such as that I have laid to-day but on what each mistress and pupil contributes of solid worth to its moral fabric. It is a Christian school and its buildings' instructions are therefore quite plain and direct; they are summed up in the first line of a hymn: "Christ is our corner-stone; on Him alone we build."

A Commemoration
But the stone, which I have just laid, is not only a foundation for the future but a commemoration of the past and present. It commemorates, may I say, a marriage. Two lives of a singular usefulness are to be welded into a broader life of even greater usefulness. The stone is, as it were, the matrimonial altar before which Mr. Fairlea and Miss Victoria Home stand to solemnize their union before God and man; their mutual sacrifice of individual tradition to the call for joint service is exemplified in the surrender by both of their unmarried names. They will henceforth be Mr. and Mrs. Heep Yunn, and they will start their wedded life with the joy and inspiration of each other's golden jubilee. God prosper them!

And just one word in conclusion. Many of you here will have read Mr. Burney's Report on Education in Hong Kong. He suggested that our Educational policy should be such (I quote his actual words) "as to secure for the pupils, first, a command of their own language sufficient for all needs of thought and expression and, secondly, a command of English limited to the satisfaction of vocational demands." I have it from the Vice-Principal of Fairlea that the aim of the Heep Yunn School authorities will be to put this advice into effect. And again I say "God Prosper Them!"

Chairman's Thanks
In his concluding remarks, the Chairman extended the thanks of all present for His Excellency's presence there that afternoon. The proceedings were brought to a close by a blessing from Bishop Mok, after which His Excellency showed much interest in the models and plans of the school before leaving.



"Eula Hoff and Bob Burnett," above, will make their first bow to the Hong Kong public in the Roof Garden of the Hong Kong Hotel on Saturday, November 7.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

On Wednesday, November 11, The Royal Engineers Old Comrades Association will hold an Armistice Dance in the Roof Garden of the Peninsula Hotel. It is hoped that as many people as possible will support this function, as the entire profits will be given to Earl Haig's Fund. Further details will be announced later in the Press and at the Association's next Dance on October 28.

The R.M.A. Dorado left at 11.15 a.m. yesterday carrying one passenger, Mr. R. Shaw (Chinese) to Penang, and 5,200 kilos of freight and 81,467 kilos of mail.

A whist drive will be held in the West Lounge of the Y.M.C.A. on Monday at 9 p.m.

The Y.M.C.A. Discussion group will meet at 9 p.m. to-morrow in the West Lounge. The subject will be "God in Me," and the discussion will be led by the Rev. H. W. Baines.

A Retreat is to be held on the afternoon of Armistice Day, Wednesday, November 11, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the Tao Fong Shan Christian Monastery, near Shatin. Dr. Reichelt will speak on the present situation in China with regard to Buddhism, and the challenge that the new movement in China makes to the Christian Church. Dr. Reichelt's talk will be followed by discussion, meditation and worship, and the afternoon will be concluded with a social hour at tea, under the kind hospitality of Mrs. Reichelt.

The case at the Criminal Sessions against Ng Wai-chan, aged 22, Kam Kai-hing, aged 31, and Lo Chun, aged 55, for possession of 23 lbs. of pink mass sufficient to make at least 35,000 heroin pills, 138,750 heroin pills, and one ounce of crude heroin, enough to form the content of another 33,000 pills, was concluded before His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, yesterday. The first two were each sentenced to three years' hard labour, while the third was discharged. Li Sin-ku, aged 44, widow, and Chan Sam, aged 32, unemployed, who were arrested with the others at the time of the raid and who pleaded guilty at the outset, were each sentenced to five years' hard labour.

VOLUNTEERS V. ARMY

A hockey match has been arranged between the Volunteers and an Army eleven to be played on Monday at 5.10 p.m. on the United Services Recreation Club ground. The following will represent the Volunteers: King, E. A. Bates, S. Chowdhury, M. Whitley, N. Beltrac, T. Whitley, E. Osano, C. E. R. Dwyer (Capt.), Atiyah Singh, S. Fowler, and Boyd.

KOWLOON CHESS CLUB

Rev. G. E. S. Updell Honoured

The annual general meeting of the Kowloon Chess Club was held yesterday evening at the Central British School with the Rev. G. E. S. Updell in the chair. Others present were Mr. A. Kurrik, Hon. Secretary, Mr. B. D. Evans, Mr. C. M. Sequeira, Mr. A. D. Sequeira, Mr. D. E. Carvalho, Mr. A. Y. Birukoff, Sgt. V. Rush and G. Kaye.

The election of office-bearers resulted as follows:—
President—Rev. G. E. S. Updell.
Vice-President—Mr. J. S. Smith.

Hon. Secretary—Mr. A. Kurrik.
Hon. Treasurer—Mr. B. D. Evans.
Captain—Mr. V. Rush.
Committee—Messrs. D. E. Carvalho, C. M. Sequeira and A. D. Sequeira.

NAVY JUNIORS' FINE RECORD IN DANGER

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The Fusiliers may make some changes in the team, but with Bumster, Harrison and Coakley in the forward line, they should do well. Gatzley and Vale are two good backs with strong clearances, while Saunders in goal is safe.

Stonemasons' Should Win
Stonemasons, who meet the Chinese Police, should win their first match to-day. They have not enjoyed the best of luck so far, though their team is no weaker than that which participated in the senior League last year.

A good game should be witnessed between Lyemun and the Rifles, who are best served by Boyd and Wilson, in the forward line, while in the defence Coyle, at back, and Bramwell, in goal, are sound. The Artillery have not won a game yet, but are hopeful. Mackrill, in goal, and Brown and Knight are their outstanding players.

Worthington is another steady defender, and can always be relied upon to give a good account of himself.

Third Division "Tit-Bit"
In the Third Division the clash between St. Joseph's and Liga Portuguesa should be interesting. J. M. Fernandes, formerly of Beirelo, has been transferred and may make his appearance between the sticks in place of Quion, who will probably be rested.

The Saints will be without Victor, their captain and left-back, and this has resulted in several positional changes. Hassan will play at centre-half to enable Castro to fill Victor's position, while Elarte will be brought into the team on the right-wing. In the other two games the Engineers and the Fusiliers should beat the Medicals and the Ordnance respectively.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

Subject: "Probation After Death"

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, HONG KONG

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science Churches to-morrow, October 25, will be "Probation after Death."

The Golden Text will be: "The righteous also shall hold on his way, and he that hath clean hands shall be stronger and stronger." (Job 17: 9.)

Amongst others, the following citations from the Bible will be read:—"Behold, happy is the man whom God correcteth: therefore despise not thou the chastening of the Almighty: He shall deliver thee in six troubles: yea, in seven there shall no evil touch thee. As is the earthy, such are they also that are earthy; and as is the heavenly, such are they also that are heavenly. And as we have borne the image of the earthy, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly. For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality. So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory. Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord." (Job 5: 17-19, I Corinthians 15: 48, 49, 53, 54, 55.)

Triumph Over Death
The Lesson Sermon will also include the following passages from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy:—

Every mortal at some period, here or hereafter, must grapple with and overcome the mortal belief in a power opposed to God. Through the wholesome chastisements of Love, we are helped onward in the march towards righteousness, peace and purity, which are the landmarks of Science. The way is straight and narrow which leads to the understanding that God is the only Life. It is a warfare with the flesh, in which we must conquer sin, sickness and death, either here or hereafter—certainly before we can reach the goal of Spirit, or life in God. "The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law,"—the law of mortal belief, at war with the facts of immortal Life, even with the spiritual law which says to the grave, "Where is thy victory?" But "when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory." (Pages 569, 323, 324, 496.)

CLUB OFFICIALS' LEGACY

£10,000 LEFT TO SECRETARY

LORD WARGRAVE'S HUGE ESTATE

A fortune of £253,407, with net personalty £237,006 (Estate Duty £54,666) was left by Lord Wargrave, of Shiplake Court, Shiplake (Oxon), who died last July at the age of 73.

Lord Wargrave left £10,000 to his friend, Mr. Reginald Harry Gale, secretary of the Constitutional Club, Northumberland-avenue, Trafalgar-square. He also left £2,000 to Mr. James L. Garvin.

Residue For Great-Nephew
After various other bequests Lord Wargrave left the residue of his estate to his great-nephew, Sir William Basil Goulding. Lord Wargrave was chairman of Rolls-Royce, Ltd., and of the Westminster Electric Supply Corporation, Ltd. He was also a director of several other undertakings.

It is notified in the Government Gazette that His Excellency the Governor has approved the relinquishment of his commission, as Second Lieutenant in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps by Second Lieutenant Edwin Johnstone Macdonald Church, with effect from October 16.

M.C.C. BOWLING FLOGGED

Early Advantage Lost

Perth, To-day.
After scoring 497 runs in the first innings of their match against an Australia eleven, followed by early success when they claimed one of the home team's wickets for only 15 runs, the M.C.C. found themselves up against it when Badcock and Horrocks took the score to 293 for 1 before the close of play, being 149 not out and 128 not out respectively.

—Renter.

ARMY AND CLUB IN GOOD RUGBY GAME TO-DAY

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Floyd and Kelshaw, the right and left centre-threequarters are every bit as fast as Bidwell and Grieve, their opposite numbers, while Boyling and Jones, the wing-threequarters, are both good tacklers.

Surprise Packet
In Lewis the Army have a surprise packet. He is both fast and has a wonderful swerve and sidestep while travelling at top speed and it would not surprise me to see this player make several of the openings for the Army backs. Preece, last year's full-back, will be at scrum-half for the first and, judging on his form in the trial game, will not give Bonnar or Butcher much rope.

The Army pack is a good one, the only newcomer being Watkins, who will hook. One of the most notable absentees from the Army fifteen is Lieut. Rice-Evans, their brilliant centre-threequarters, who is unfortunately still on leave.

Prior to the first fifteen clash, the Club "A" fifteen will meet a team from H.M.S. Medway at 3.15 p.m.

Club 1st XV—P. C. Frost; H. Van Leeuwen, H. D. Bidwell, W. E. Grieve, G. K. Chadwick, A. H. R. Butcher, J. L. Bonnar, A. F. Walkden, K. A. Watson, A. W. Holden, W. E. Peers, I. H. Bradford, J. Redman, K. A. Munro and N. E. Clarke.

Army 1st XV—Fus. Barry; Fus. Jones (47), Fus. Kelshaw, Fus. Floyd and Spr. Boyling; L/Cpl Lewis and Fus. Preece; Lieut. Lincoln (Captain), Fus. Watkins, Sgt. Cullinan, Fus. Bobb, Fus. Chaney, Fus. Morgan, Capt. Gillespie and Cpl. Harrison.

Club "A" XV—M. H. Curtis; D. Hynes, G. Wilson, A. F. Kistner, J. B. Stewart, C. W. Lyle, J. R. Henderson; A. F. Russell, G. S. Chambers, J. S. Dunnett; S. H. Garrod, B. Hynes; M. S. Cumming, H. W. E. Heath, and A. D. Coppin.

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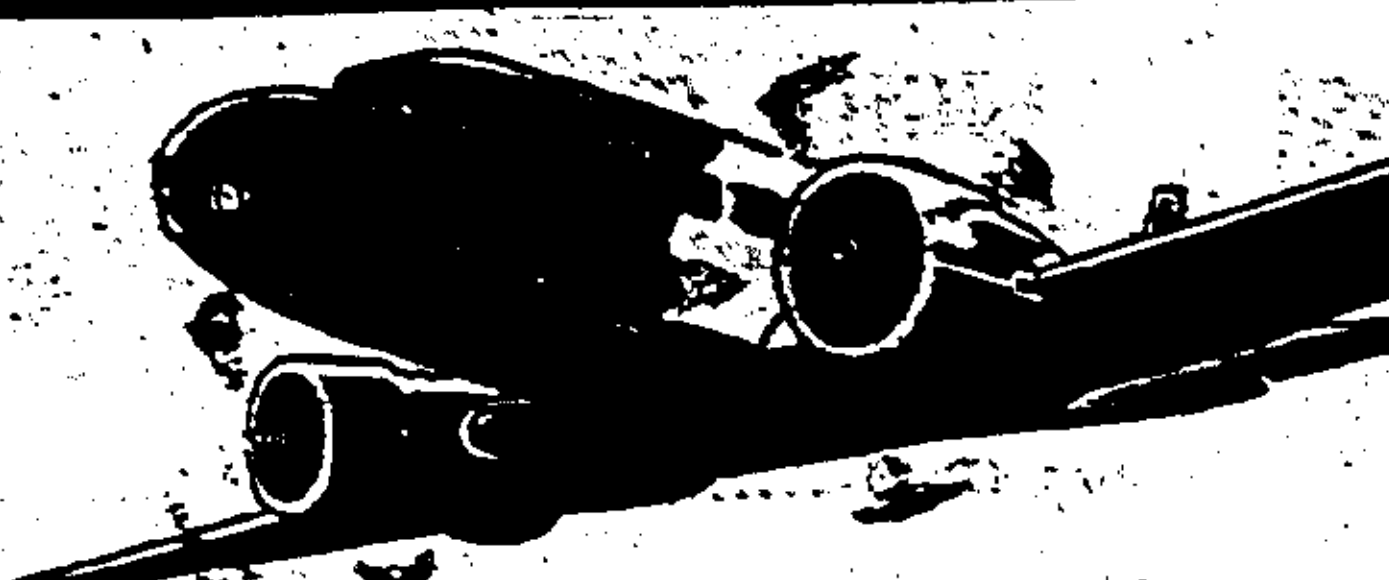
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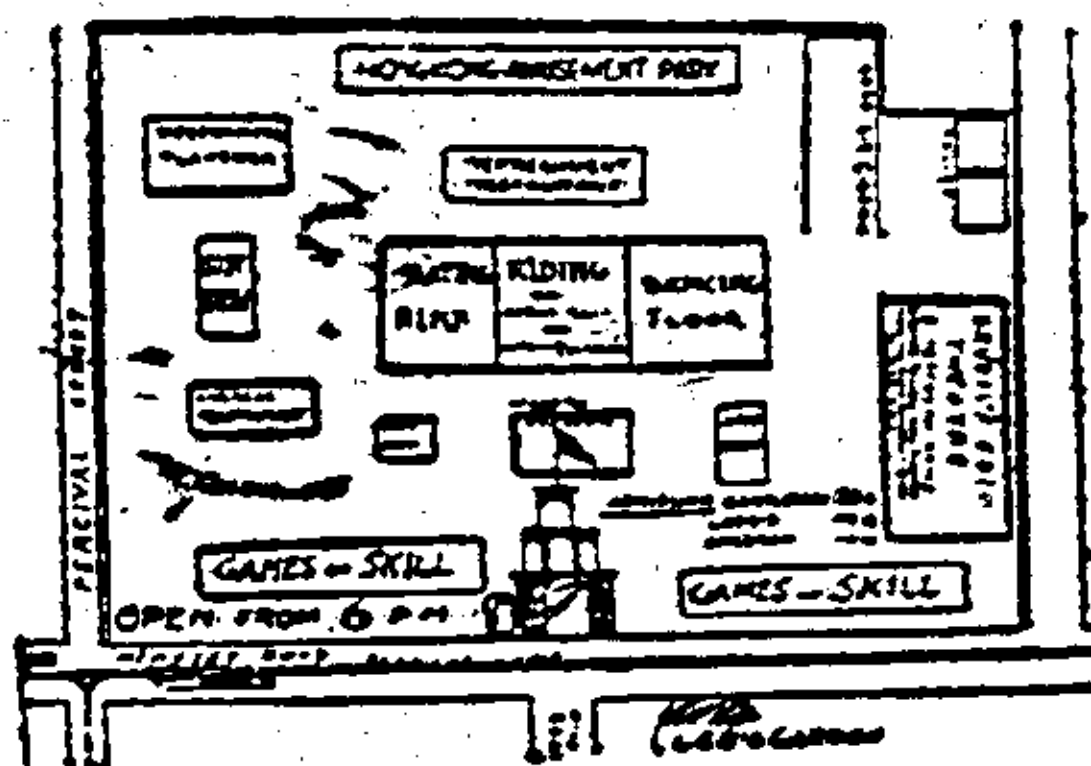
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SATURDAY NIGHT—OCTOBER 24th
CONTEST STARTS AT 9.30 P.M.

All those who wish to compete in this contest to determine the best skater should enter their names at the Office of the Hong Kong Amusement Park in Wanchai between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. and in the evenings from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Judges will be selected by the competitors.



The Hong Kong Amusement Park wish to announce that they will open to the public free shows. On the open platform, you will see conjurers, magicians, acrobats, tumblers, jugglers and dancers. At Grubel's Eden Theatre you will see an hour's performance that will thrill and astound you. Miss EDVIG will give her interpretation of national dances. The world's most famous illusionists, Professor Grubel, will entertain you at this performance too, with hair-raising and dexterous illusions. Think of seeing a young and beautiful girl sawed in halves, and seeing someone out of the audience decapitated, in other words, you will see this world-famous illusionist cut a person's head off. You can also see a lady put in a box that has been tied with large ropes and sealed, and then disappear into thin air. There will also be many other items on the programme.

The Chinese Theatre consisting of 20 actors and 12 actresses will entertain you with a very fine repertoire of plays and dramas.

From Saturday the Park will be open to the public from noon to 6 p.m. for an admission of 10 cents and as an added inducement this price includes FREE ADMISSION TO THE ZOO. The skating rink will be open to the public as well as the ponies for those who care for horse-back riding. Come with the children. Every ticket-holder will receive a Free Present.

PHONING FROM THE AIR

While Flying At 250 M.P.H.

EXHIBITION OPENED AT MANCHESTER

How the air traveller of the future will use the telephone was demonstrated in England recently, when R.A.F. bombers flying over Manchester at 250 m.p.h. "rang up" the City Hall.

Visitors to the "Evening Chronicle" Radio Exhibition there were able to talk to the pilots. The Army and the R.A.F. co-operated for the first time in a radio exhibition, and showed many different types of apparatus. Uses of radio, telephone, telegraph and teleprinter for military purposes were illustrated.

Light Army cars equipped with radio telephone sets were shown. In the R.A.F. enclosure visitors were permitted to operate apparatus installed at opposite ends to communicate with one another.

Police Work

Manchester City Police demonstrated the working of the regional police wireless system, embracing 18 police forces. After information has been given to the police by a member of the public it can be broadcast to all officers within an area of 2,000 square miles. Visitors were able to hear messages sent to all wireless-equipped cars and stations in the area.

The General Post Office gave a display showing how electrical interference with broadcasting could be suppressed at the source. Prof. W. L. Bragg, of Manchester University, opened the exhibition.

FANCY DRESS "BAL MASQUE"

Function At Gloucester Hotel On November 6

A Fancy Dress "Bal Masque" is being held at the Gloucester Hotel on Friday, November 6, the primary purpose being to raise funds for the oldest of the local charity societies, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

Will some of the Hong Kong society ladies volunteer to act as partners at this Bal Masque for those not fortunate enough to have their own and who present a dance ticket?

All the proceeds of the dance tickets will go to the funds of this estimable Society on whose behalf this Masked Ball is being held.

Would volunteer partners send their names now to the Organising Social Secretary, Masked Ball, c/o Gloucester Hotel, Distinctive, rosettes will then be issued to them.

The Art Of Make-Up

The allure of Joan Crawford: The glamour of Jean Harlow: The subtle charm of Myrna Loy:

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But according to Miss Cecil McLean, Max Factor's personal representative, now in Hong Kong from Hollywood—the allure, glamour and charm radiated by these stars can be accounted for in a large measure, to the proper and efficient application of their make-up!

Philippine Clipper Arrives Here

"Right On Time"

Huge Crowd See Perfect Landing In Choppy Sea

Another page in the history of aviation in Hong Kong was written yesterday when the Philippine Clipper arrived at Kai Tak from Macao shortly before 4 p.m., making as graceful a landing as ever seen here, to the delight of the large crowd who had gathered at the aerodrome to welcome the passengers travelling by the epoch-making plane. The Clipper left Manila just after 6 a.m. and arrived at Macao at 11.58 a.m.

The Clipper was due to arrive here shortly after 3.30 p.m. but it was not till about 3.50 p.m. that a tiny speck in the sky, in the direction of Stonecutters' Island, announced the fact that she was here, and to the expressions of "there she is" and "look, she's arrived," the crowd on the seawall at the aerodrome gazed towards the sky to see the giant plane gliding towards them.

The plane did not, however, land immediately, but, after passing the aerodrome, made off towards Lyemun and circled the Island once before coming back to Kai Tak to land in the somewhat choppy sea in the most perfect manner.

A special tender went out to the plane to take the passengers ashore and in the lounge room of the aerodrome, Mr. Juan Trippe, President of the Pan Pacific Airways, who was a passenger on the Clipper, gave the Press an interview.

In the course of which he said that it had been a highly satisfactory flight to all aboard. When they left San Francisco about two weeks ago they were scheduled to arrive in Hong Kong at 4 p.m. on October 23, and despite the fact that they had spent two days in Manila and one in Hawaii, "they were here, right on time."

No Plans For Future

Mr. Trippe went on to say that no plans had yet been made for the inauguration of the commercial schedule and that the present flight was only in the nature of a courtesy call on the Government here. Plans for a regular service, however, were being pushed as fast as possible but it was still too soon to announce any definite date.

Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, who holds an executive position with the Pan American Airways, was also a passenger by the Clipper and he was most enthusiastic about the trip, particularly about the beautiful picture of Hong Kong, as seen from the air. "I have seen our famous Reno and San Francisco, and you all know how pretty they are, but Hong Kong has the lot beaten. I am staying here only until to-morrow."

His Excellency the Governor was represented at the reception to the Philippine Clipper by his Honorary Royal Air Force A.D.C., Flight Lieut. R. C. Field, while the Consul-General for the United States, Mr. Charles L. Hoover, was also present. In a statement to the Press, just before the plane landed, Mr. Hoover said:

"I regard this as the beginning of a service that will make Hong Kong a port for air service as important as it has been for shipping in the past. It is a logical crossroad for air traffic of every description between the Orient and Europe and the Americas. This is only a courtesy visit and the date of the arrival of the first commercial plane has not yet been set, but certainly it is not very far distant in the future."

"I have heard many expressions of pleasure on the part of American citizens and business men here for the courtesy extended by the British authorities, and I am sure this service will be much to cement the important relations, particularly in business and intellectual intercourse between our country and the Far East."

Those Present: The very large gathering present included: Wing Comdr. and Mrs. A. W. Bishop, the Hon. Mr. C. G. Perdue, acting L.G.P., Mrs. Perdue, the Hon. Comdr. G. F. Hole, Mr. T. B. Wilson, Mrs. Charles L. Hoover, Mrs. B. E. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Butters, Dr. D. J. Valentine, the Hon. Dr. A. R. Wellington, Mrs. and Mrs. J. B. Emmert, Mr. H. H. Priestley, Mr. Sun Fo, Capt. George, R.A.M.C., Mr. H. R. B. Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Cotto, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hall.

DR. KOTEWALL LEAVES FOR CANTON

To Attend His Hon-min Funeral

The Honorable Dr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., D.L.D., left last night for Canton by the S.S. Tsinghai to attend the State funeral of the late Mr. Ho Han-min, the veteran Kuomintang leader, who was his personal friend. The funeral takes place to-morrow.

Dr. Kotewall was met by special representatives of General Yen Hsiang-shan, Commander-in-Chief of the Kuomintang Forces, who, on the long distance telephone, informed Dr. Kotewall yesterday that he wished to interview him when he arrived in Canton.

Representatives of the Chairman of the Provincial Council and the Mayor of Canton were also at the wharf to meet Dr. Kotewall.

and Mrs. Wallace Harper, Mr. Charles Gee, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pethick, Mr. and Mrs. G. Dulos, Mrs. W. T. Stanton, Mr. A. K. Dimond, Mr. J. C. Poole, Mr. and Mrs. L. Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Sheldon, Mrs. C. H. Benson, Mrs. W. H. Thomas, Flight-Lt. P. H. Smith, Mr. A. J. R. Moss, Mr. E. Nelson, Mr. P. M. Hodgson, Mr. Victor Hugo, and Mr. V. J. Neysile.

The personnel of the Philippine Clipper is as follows:

Mr. J. H. Tilton, pilot; Mr. F. Pethick, First Officer; Mr. W. Lan, Second Officer; Mr. H. R. Canada, Navigating Officer; Mr. C. M. Greene, Engineering Officer; Mr. H. W. Beidema, Radio Officer; Mr. J. Parker, and Steward.

It was stated that the plane established radio contact with the Government Wireless Station in Hong Kong as soon as they passed Pratas and this was maintained till they reached Hong Kong.

The Philippine Clipper will leave at 6 a.m. this morning for Manila with all the passengers except Mr. and Mrs. Trippe, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Whitney, Mr. H. M. Bixby and Mr. Roy Howard, who will be travelling by a C.N.A.C. plane, which will call here from Canton, at about 7.30 a.m. This party will be travelling Home via Shanghai.

Passenger List

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Trippe, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Whitney, of New York; Senator and Mrs. M. McAdoo, of Los Angeles; Mr. E. O. McDonnell, of New York; Mr. James E. Stahman, of Tennessee; Mr. E. W. Swasey, of Fort Worth, Texas; Mr. Robert C. Lord, of New York; Mr. G. B. Grosvenor, of New York; Mr. Paul Patterson, of Baltimore; Mr. Thomas H. Beck, of Wilton, Connecticut; Mr. H. Roy Howard, of New York; Mr. John R. Morris, of Shanghai; Mr. J. H. Parker, of Manila; Mr. K. Loeder, of Manila; Mr. Harold M. Moxby, of Shanghai.

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Sunday Service, 11.15 a.m.

Subject:—"PROBATION AFTER DEATH."

Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. A Reading Room is located at Bank of East Asia Buildings, 10 Des Voeux Road, Central and is open daily, except Wednesdays and Saturdays.

10.30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

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All authorised Christian Science Literature is available at the Reading Room.

The Public is cordially invited to attend the Services and visit the Reading Room.

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.'s).

Dance Music by The Gloucester Cossacks

Recorded Programme.

12.30-2.15 p.m.—European Recorded Programme.

12.30 p.m.—Webster Booth (Tenor) and The Bobemians.

1 p.m.—Local: Time and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—Variety Items.

1.30 p.m.—Renter Press, Rugby Press, Local: Weather Forecast, Time and Announcements.

1.40 p.m.—Dance Music.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7-12 midnight—European Programme.

7 p.m.—Orchestral Music.

Egmont Overture, Op. 34 (Beethoven).

Overture "Merry Villagers of Windsor" (Nicola).

Witch's Dance—"Le Villi" (Prodn).

Prelude "The Dream of Gerontius," Op. 38 (Elgar).

7.30 p.m.—A Violin Recital by Albert Sandler.

The Phantom Melody—(Kretelbey).

Estancia, Waltz—(Waldteufel), Op. 191.

Dolores, Waltz—(Waldteufel), Op. 170.

7.45 p.m.—Songs by Nelson Eddy (Baritone).

1. "Neath the Southern Moon.

2. Love's old sweet song.

3. "You are free.

4. When I grow too old to dream.

5. I'm falling in love with someone.

8 p.m.—Local: Time and Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m.—A Variety Concert.

Fox-Trot Medley—The Great Ziegfeld.

The Keyboarders.

Song—These Foolish Things Robert Ashley (Baritone).

Descriptive—The Derby With the Singing Pearly Kings.

Selection—A Night With Paul Whiteman At The Biltmore.

Song—Me and my dog Francis Day (Soprano).

Humorous—Life begins again Flanagan and Allen.

Organ Solo—"Curly Top" film Selection Reginald Dixon.

Song—Ta Main—"Hands across the table" Lucienne Boyer (Soprano).

Tango—Tango Della Rose 9 p.m.—Band Music.

(a) Le Reve Passe (Helmer).

(b) Officer of the Day (Hall).

(c) Grenadier du Caucase (Meister).

(d) Entry of the Gladiators (Fueck).

(e) Grand March "Le Prophete" (Meyerbeer).

Sing a song (Iles).

Old Folks at Home and in Foreign Lands (Roberts).

9.25 p.m.—London—News and Announcements.

9.45-12 midnight—A Relay of Dance Music by Gellman's Cossacks.

from The Gloucester Hotel.

10 p.m.—Big Ben from London.

12 midnight—Close Down.

SHOP WINDOW SMASHED

Coat And Trousers Stolen

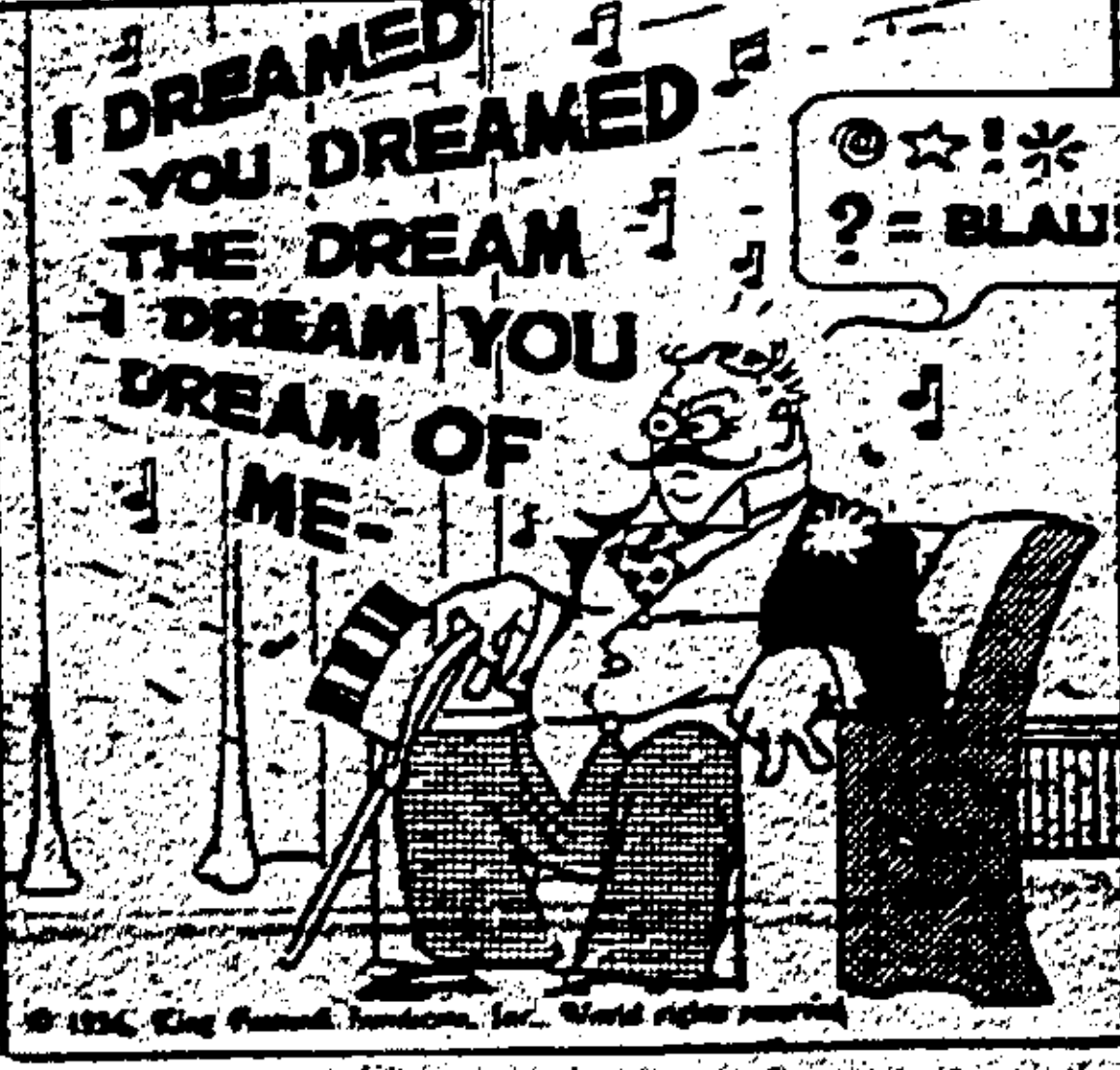
Epsom.

A large plate glass window of the shop of Mr. Harry Randall, clothier, of East-street, Epsom, was smashed last month and a sports coat and pair of flannel trousers were stolen.

Mr. Randall, who lives above the shop, heard, about 3 a.m., the tinkling of glass. He saw a man with a cycle, and he presumed that the noise was caused by the breaking of the man's cycle lamp.

An inmate of the L.C.C. Horton Mental Hospital escaped the previous night. There was nothing to connect him with the theft.

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PICNIC FOR THE BLIND

(To The Editor, "China Mail")
Sir—The Kowloon Tong Group of the V.D.M.A. acknowledge with grateful thanks the following donations towards the Picnic for the Blind on Saturday 24th October:

Previously acknowledged	\$227.00
Mrs. F. E. E. Booker	10.00
C. K. Hall Brutton	10.00
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George	1
Mrs. C. G. Anderson	1
A. P. K.	1
Mrs. A. J. Kew	1
L. Day	1
J. G. Hooper	1
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The response to our appeal has been truly generous and will enable us to mark the tenth anniversary of these outings with additional gifts to the Girls of the Blind Home.

Will those who have offered the loan of cars please note that we would like to start for Shek-O as soon as possible after 3 p.m. and that it would assist the organisers if cars could be at the Blind Home, Pokfulam, a little ahead of time.

A. URQUHART,
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COMMUNIQUE ISSUED

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DISCUSSION CONTINUED

The Committee agreed that the Soviet letter should be referred to the sub-committee, when the Soviet representative would be asked to elucidate certain aspects of his statement.

In the course of the discussion Lord Plymouth expressed the view that the German reply to the Spanish charges was satisfactory except on two points, on which he asked the German Government to give further elucidation.

On the proposal of Lord Plymouth the Committee agreed that to the Soviet proposal for the Anglo-French control of Portuguese ports could not be considered until the Portuguese reply was received. The Portuguese representative declared that he could not consent to discussion of the subject.

The committee agreed that the sub-committee was to meet this morning to review the general working of the Committee and to consider whether, and in what respects, the non-intervention agreement could be made effective.

The Soviet representative declared that he was willing to reply to the Italian and German allegations forthwith, but it was ruled that the reply should first be submitted in writing.

The Committee agreed to hold the next meeting of the main Committee next Wednesday—Routier.

CONVICT ON PRISON ROOF

Capture With Fire Hose

Newport, I.O.W.

A convict here recently defied the authorities for more than an hour. The convict is one who received an additional eight-year sentence for participation in the Dartmoor mining. During a meal he escaped from the prison hall, taking with him a heavy saucepan and his dinner fork.

He entered the governor's office and scattered papers. Then he went upstairs, threatening a clerk who attempted to stop him, and reached the roof through a trap door, which he bolted after him. There he tore up slates and put the turret clock out of action. Finally, warders drenched him with a fire hose and he came down and surrendered.

RACING MOTOR-CYCLIST KILLED

J. T. Brown, of Ballyvaughan, Glengormley, Belfast, was killed last month while racing in Carrowmore, co. Down, 100 miles motor-cycle race, when his machine crashed into a wall.

Government Appointments

The following appointments, etc., are notified in the Government Gazette:

Mrs. John Alexander Fraser, M.C., to be temporary additional judge for the purpose of concluding any part heard matters with which he has been dealing while Acting Police Judge, with effect from October 21, until the said matters are concluded.

The following officers to be Members of the District Government Wireless Inspectors for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the Radio Act, 1926.

H.K. VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS

ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps. Orders by Lieut. Colonel E. C. B. Anderson, M.C. Commandant Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Hong Kong, Friday, 23rd October, 1936.

Resignation Of Commission

H. E. the Governor and Commander-in-Chief has accepted the resignation of Second Lieutenant EDWIN JOHNSFORD MACOMBER CHURN, from the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps with effect from 16th October, 1936.

PARADE

1st Battery

A Section

Section will parade at Belchers Fort on Thursday, 29th October at 5.45 p.m. Dress overalls, blue caps and Gun platform shoes.

L Section

Parade at H. Q. on Friday, 30th October at 5.30 p.m. for rifle drill.

Dress overalls and web belts if issued.

M Section

Parade in H.M.S. "Cornflower" on Wednesday, 28th October. Launch leaves H.M.S. "Tamar" at 5.30 p.m.

Corps Engineers

Monday, October 26th.—Miniature Range and Recruit Drill.

Sunday, November 1st.—Church Parade, R.E. Sunday.

Sunday, November 8th.—Shoot, Peak Range.

Corps Signals

Parade at Corps H. Q. at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 27th October, for Signal Instruction and Thursday, 29th October for Arms Drill.

M. G. Troop

Parade on Tuesday 27th at Causeway Bay at 5.30 p.m. for Saddling.

Armoured Car Section

Sunday, 25th October.—Section will fire Annual M. G. Course on Stonecutters Range.—Launch will leave Queen's Pier at 8.30 a.m. sharp, and call at Kowloon Pier at 8.40 a.m.

Tuesday, 27th October.—Section will parade at H. Q. at 5.30 p.m. for M. G. Instruction as per programme.

Motor M. G. Section

All members of the Section apart from Recruits will fire Part II M. G. Course at Stonecutters Range on Sunday, 25th October. Launch will leave Queen's Pier at 8.30 a.m. sharp and call at Kowloon Pier at 8.40 a.m.

Parade—

Parade at H. Q. at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, October, 27th. Details as per Appendix.

Peak Range

Recruits as detailed will fire Table "A" Musketry on this range on Sunday, 25th October, 1936. Firing will commence at 9 a.m. Recruits should take the 8.30 a.m. train from the Lower Tram Station.

Range Officer—Captain Rodrigues.

Range Sergt.—Sergeant Baleros.

A.A.L.A. Practices

"B" Company and Category "A" of "A" Company. Practices will be fired at Lyemun on Sunday, November 1st. Details will be issued later. O. Co. "A" and "B" Companies will ascertain and inform H. Q. of the numbers attending so that transport may be arranged.

Gas Masks and Steel Helmets

Gas Masks and Steel Helmets will be drawn on Tuesday, 27th October and will be retained until after camp.

Corps Infantry

APPENDIX

"A" Company

Category "B" will fall in at 5.20 a.m. sharp to draw Lewis Gun, Spare Parts, Ammunition and Representative Targetman and proceed to Kennedy Road Range for Firing.

Category A.—Lesson. Revision of A.A.L.M.A. work. Location. Headquarters. Instructors. Lt. Sequeira. Sgt. Smythe.

"B" Company. Firing 20 men detailed by C.S.M. to fire at Kennedy Road Range. Kennedy Road Range. 2/Lt. Botelho. Sgt. Britton. Sgt. Ribeiro.

Remainder—Elementary Handing. Headquarters.

C & Recruits.—Foot and Arms Drill. (Belt and Bayonet Frog to be worn). Headquarters. R. S. M. Parkinson. Sgt. Baleros. Sgt. Baptista.

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Mr. King

Parade on Tuesday 27th at Kai Tak at 5.30 p.m. for a Lecture.

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STARTS TO-DAY

Parade at H. Q. at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 26th October.

1st Year Men C Class

M. G. Instruction—Stripping and Assembling Gun.

Remainder B Class

T. O. E. D.

Ptea. G. W. Arnold and W. K. Long will parade under R. S. M. for Arms and Squad Drill.

No. 1 (M.G.) Company

Parade on Friday, 30th at H. Q. at 5.30 p.m. for M. G. Instruction.

No. 2 (Scottish) Company

No. 7 Platoon will parade at H. Q. on Thursday 29th October at 5.30 p.m.

No. 6 Platoon will parade at Kowloon Dock on Thursday 29th October at 5.30 p.m. instead of Friday, 30th October.

B Class—Fire Orders.

C Class—I. A. Nos. 3 and 4 positions.

The Hallowe'en Dinner will be held at H. Q. on Friday 30th October at 8 p.m. Dress. Mess Kit or Dinner Jacket.

No. 3 (M.G.) Company

Parade on Monday, 26th October at 5.30 p.m. as follows:—

Nos. 1 & 2 Squads.—Map Reading & Use of Compass.

Nos. 3 & 4 Squads.—Traversing.

Nos. 5 to 10 Squads.—Testing, Holding, Loading, Aiming & Sight Setting, Unloading, Single Shot Load, Clear Gun, and Stripping and Assembling.

Nos. 11 & 12 Squads.—Infantry Drill.

Wednesday parades are cancelled from date and commencing November the Company will parade on Mondays and Fridays.

Musketry: Squads Nos. 1 to 10 will fire Rifle Course Table "B" at Stonecutters on Sunday, 1st November. Launch will leave Queen's Pier, Hong Kong, at 8.30 a.m. and Police Pier, Kowloon, at 8.40 a.m. Dress: Optional but Webbing must be worn when firing.

Range Officer: 2/Lt. R. M. Wood.

M. G. Bn. Signals

Monday, 26th October.—Despatch Riders parade for Squad and Arms Drill under R.S.M. Parkinson.

Wednesday, 28th October.—Subsections A, B and C parade at H. Q. at 5.30 p.m. sharp for squad and arms drill. Belt, frog and bayonet must be worn. Following the parade there will be a Steak and Kidney Dinner.

Friday, 30th October.—Subsection "D"—D/Rs.—parade, for instruction in temporary jointing connecting up D/Rs and Tel. 110.

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